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ALLIES CLAIM PROGRESS ON EAST AND WEST WINGS

Still No Decisive Result Has B'en Achieved in the Battle of the Aisne, Now Nearing End of Third Week, Which Soon Will Outstrip in Respect to Time, the Great Contest at Mukden Nearly Ten Years Ago—No Details of Extent of Progress Made.

GERMAN RIGHT NOW HAS ITS BACK TO THE EAST

German Attack on Outer Fortifications of Antwerp Continues. A Great Battle is Impending Before Cracow, and on Its Results Will Depend Future Movements of the Russian Army—Austria Endeavors to Pacify Italy—Censorship Too Strict.

London, Oct. 2.—2:10 A. M.—A Rotterdam dispatch to the Daily Telegraph says:

"Germans in Rotterdam are aghast at the tone of the German newspapers which arrived today (Thursday). Only one meaning can be attached to what they contain—they are preparing the German people for defeat and the ruin of their hopes.

"Official messages ask that judgment be suspended if news should arrive that the German troops have abandoned certain positions.

"The British troops are mentioned as pushing on by the sheer weight of their masses and the French are admitted to have taught a severe lesson. A week ago such statements would have meant the suppression of the newspaper printing them."

CAMPARES WITH BATTLE OF MUKDEN.

London, Oct. 1.—The battle of the Aisne, now nearing the end of its third week, soon will outstrip in respect to time the great contest fought at Mukden nearly ten years ago, but still no decisive result has been achieved.

The French official communication issued late today, condensed into about thirty words, was one of the shortest given to the public since the war began. It records that progress has been made by both right and left wings of the allied armies, but gives no details or the extent of the progress between the lines.

Military experts believe the great claws, as they have been described, continue to open the clutch at the outspread wings of the German army, particularly the right, which forms the upright portion of the L and now has its back to the east, fighting with desperation to prevent the French left from encircling or smashing it along most of the front, estimated at 180 miles in length.

The artillery has played by far the most important part in the struggle, but on the German right lighter guns, cavalry and infantry are doing most of the fighting with a stubbornness and disregard of life that people so often have said in recent years modern soldiers never would display.

There have been unprecedented artillery duels between the rivers Oise and Aisne and between the Oise and the Somme, which have taken a heavy toll of the opposing armies, followed by cavalry and infantry charges in which first one and then the other side would gain or be compelled to give ground. Still they have held on, the Germ an wing being extended farther north-ward as the French made another mo ve to work around it. With an unlim-ited supply of troops, this might go on for an indefinite period, but with theforces at the disposal of the two sta tes the operation soon must come toan end.

The German official account says the Germans have defeated the French north and south of Albert. This doubtless refers to an engagement in which the French admit they suffered a temporary reverse but later regained the ground. Tonight's report that farther progress had been made indicates that they have penetrated north of Albert.

On the allies' right, in southern Woevre, where progress also is reported, the French have been fighting to compel the Germans, who crossed the Meuse at St. Mihiel, to return to the eastern side of the river.

The statement last night that the French had occupied Seicheprey and Rupt de Mad suggested that this already had been accomplished, but it has not been officially announced.

Along the extended front from the Oise to the Meuse, except the fighting mentioned on the wings, nothing has happened that the French staff considers worthy of mention. It cannot be that the troops in these positions are entirely idle. It is known that an artillery duel is going on continually, but probably neither side has moved forward, while the infantry has been constantly on the alert to meet attacks and counter attacks.

For a time the Germans had the better of the artillery fighting, as they possessed the bigger guns. This situation now is said to have been reversed, for it is said the French have brought up additional artillery, including some big naval guns which are credited with being able to outrange the German guns by seven hundred yards and which are being used to drive the Germans out of their strongly fortified positions.

BOTH SIDES APPEAR CONFIDENT.

Both sides appear confident. The Germans, bringing up reinforcements to meet the attempts to outflank them, are in what appears to be almost impregnable positions and are fighting sternly.

The allies, on the other hand, place their hopes in the arrival of reinforcements on their left and the possibility of finding a weak spot in the German front. The Indian troops should now be with the British army, the official bureau today having permitted the publication of the fact that they landed in France last Friday.

Of course it is not known where the Indian troops are going, but it is believed the left wing will be stiffened by them. Some of the territorials also have reached Field Marshal French. These include the London Scottish, one of the best of England's volunteer regiments, recruited from Scotchmen in London. They have reached a high state of efficiency and in their ranks are some of the best marksmen in the Empire. Among them are a number of men who competed with the United States for the Palma trophy a few years ago.

A call has been issued for British railroad men to go to France to assist on the French railroad building.

The German attack on the outer fortifications on Antwerp continues, and again Belgium has become the scene of serious operations. The invaders, so far, have confined their attack to the forts protecting the river crossings between Malines and Antwerp. A German report says two forts have been silenced but the Belgians deny this. They declare two forts stopped firing merely as a ruse and that when the German field artillery approached to take them they re-opened fire decimating the Germans.

There is no indication of the strength of the Germans at that point, but it is presumed they have launched no mean force against the formidable decease of the temporary capital.

ON TO PRZEMYSL AN CRACOW!

According to a Rome dispatch, the Russian ambassador there has issued a statement saying the Russians have destroyed the Austrian army in Galicia and they now are turning their attention to Przemysl and Cracow. A great battle is impending before Cracow and on its result will depend future movements of the Russian army. Victory to the Russian emperor's troops would permit a junction of these forces with the Russian central army and an advance into Silesia.

The Russians in the north, according to Petrograd accounts, have checked the Germans' advance and driven them back 30 miles to the region of Suwalki and Mirlampol. The Germans, however, continue to bombard the fort of Ossowetz. Their operations in this district have been impeded by the marshy nature of the country, which prevents the movements or heavy guns and transports.

AUSTRIA RESPONDS TO ITALY.

Austria has made immediate response to Italy's demand for an explanation of the sowing of mines in the Adriatic, promising to indemnify the families of the fishermen who lost their lives and to adopt measures to prevent a repetition of such occurrences.

A fresh outcery has arisen against the severe censorship of war news. It is pointed out that the Germans have allowed American and Dutch correspondents to visit the front while not a single British correspondent is with Field Marshal French's army. The Evening Star says:

"This method of making war in the dark is depressing to the British public and is not likely to stimulate recruiting."

REPORT FROM TOKIO.

Severe Engagement Between German Warships and Japanese Forces.

Tokio, Oct. 1.—A severe engagement has been opened by the German warships which attacked the Japanese position near Tsin Tau, east of the government of Kiao Chow, the German leased territory in China. Two officers were killed.

German aeroplanes assisted the warships.

The Japanese war office announced that an artillery duel at Tsing Tau continues. A German torpedo boat destroyer sank in the harbor yesterday (Wesdnesday). Apparently this ship was not in action.

It was officially announced late this

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DAY'S WAR NEWS AT A CLANCE

Another day has passed and the situation between the allied armies and the Germans in northern France still is described by French official announcements as satisfactory, with here and there progress along the line, but not a sufficient advance to turn north and east to strike a decisive blow at the German right wing.

The battle on the Aisne gives every indication of being the greatest in history as to duration and loss of life.

British reinforcements, consisting in part of trained East Indian troops, and in part of territorials, have reached France to strengthen the small British army which for many weeks past has been doing yeoman service beside its French allies. Colonial troops also are on the way to the battle front, not a few of whom have seen service in South Africa and other campaigns.

On both sides there have been innumerable offensive movements, the Germans, while relying on their entrenchments to keep off the advance of the opposing forces, not hesitating to assume the offensive in fierce assaults on both French and British, at short intervals.

Likewise, the Germans are continuing their campaign in Belgium by an attack on the outer defenses of Antwerp, and according to a Rome despatch are rushing thousands of troops and an immense supply of war material to the Russian frontier in a supreme effort to ward off the Russian advance.

It the eastern theatre of the war, Germany has taken into her hands the direction of the campaign against the Russian emperor's hosts.

While Berlin officially is silent on the progress of the war, the Berliner Tageblatt, in a leading article, expresses the confidence of the German people that the next news from the battle front will be in favor of the Germans' arms.

DISPATCH RIDERS PLAY AN IMPORTANT PART IN BATTLE

Mounted on Motorcycles, These Young Men Keep Communication Between Various Corps and Scatter Parties of German Cavalry—Terrible Hand-to-Hand Clashes Result of Mutual Flanking Movements.

At the Battle Front, Oct. 1.—via Paris.—The generals in command of the allies have nothing but praise for the corps of dispatch riders who, since the beginning of the great battle of the Aisne, have kept the communication between various corps along the line now spreading from the Somme to the Moselle and along the frontier of Alsace-Lorraine.

The dispatch riders mostly are volunteers from British universities, many of them wealthy youths. Night and day they have made dashes through the country infested with Germans cavalry, carrying messages which have kept the brigades and army corps in close touch and enabled commanders to send reinforcements to points where they were most needed.

On many occasions these dispatch riders, mounted on motorcycles, by sheer audacity and speed, have scattered recoinnoitering parties of German cavalry, sometimes facing enormous odds in their dangerous work.

Terrible Hand to Hand Candicts

Recent terrible hand to hand conflicts on the western and eastern wings arose from the attempts of the German and the allies' generals to execute flanking movements in great force at the same time in the open country. The lines of the armies have been growing even longer in the last ten days in a mutual endeavor to overlap each other.

The German wings have been heavily reinforced but the allies have been able to bring greater power to bear and not only have prevented the Germans from breaking through but have gained ground steadily and now have the advantage.

German prisoners taken in large numbers on the western end of the line show that reinforcements which have arrived recently consist largely of men nearing middle age. This seems to indicate that many corps have been withdrawn to meet the Russian advance.

The German practice of maintaining an incessant offensive appears, according to military men, to be wearing their human material. Fighting has been unceasing—something previously unknown in military history—and before this fight started many German regiments had fought all the way down from Liege, Belgium.

Exhaustion Setting In.

Germans attacks in the last 24 hours seem to have become less energetic. The allies have repulsed them and hav followed them up more easily. There is signs that exhaustion is setting in among the invaders, owing to the hard fighting and severe weather conditions. Meanwhile the allies are being intervals of rest in the trenches between the periods of intense exertion, as fresh relays can be brought to the front at any time.

PACIFIC IS FIGHTING GROUND OF FUTURE

Conflict With Orient Inevitable, Says Mann.

IN WARNING TO HOUSE

Republican Leader Declares if Philippines Become Independent, They Will in Time be Acquired by Japan or Others.

Washington, Oct. 1.—Warning that Philippine independence meant surrender of American strategic command of the Pacific, "the fighting ground of the future," and that a conflict between the United States and the Orient, "commercial or otherwise," was inevitable, was given the House today by Republican Leader Mann in a vigorous speech opposing the pending administration Philippine bill. Representative Mann declared that if the Philippines became independent, they would in time be acquired by Japan or by some other nation, ultimately to be used against the United States.

"If there is to be independence of the Philippines," said Mr. Mann, "let it be absolute independence. If they are to go, let them go and let Japan and China, Germany or England take them, as is inevitable, and then we will know what we have to fight.

"Close to Japan, like a sleeping child of the world, is China with her vast territory, with her immense population. What was going on in Japan a few years ago is going on now in China. The awakening of China is more marvelous than in Japan and as these great people in China rise to the civilization of our modern days and engage in manufactures and in production of all which man produces, we will enter into a series of competitive efforts with the Far East which never have been equalled in this world of ours.

"The great population of China, we say, shall not be permitted to come to our shores. At the same time we say that China shall not be permitted to shut out our people or our goods. Such a positio nas we take perhaps cannot be abandoned by our people, but it never can be enforced in the long run without the power to enforce it. When China is awakened we will have a conflict on our hands which will last for many years, possibly many centuries.

"We who are now legislating, if we do not bear in mind the possibilities of hundreds of years from now and the inevitable conflict, commercial or otherwise, which we will meet in the Far East, have forgotten the principles which ought to actuate us.

"It is as certain as that the sun will rise tomorrow that a conflict will come between the Far East and the Far West across the Pacific ocean. All which has taken place in the world during the history of the American race up to now teaches us that the aversion of the conflict is impossible. I hope war may not come; that there be no conflict of arms. I have little faith that in this world of ours people and races are able to meet in competition for a long period of time without an armed conflict. A fight for commercial supremacy in the end leads to a fight with arms, because that is the final arbiter between nations.

Means Surrender of Command.

"We command the Pacific ocean today with the land that we have on this side, with the islands which we possess in the sea and with the Philippines on the other side. Will we surrender our command? I say no. If we should let the Philippine Islands go today without a string tied to them, they would belong to some other country inside of ten years. But if they could keep their independence 25, 50 or even 100 years, in the end they would be used against us instead of in our favor in the inevitable conflict between competing races.

"We are having trouble enough now about a country which we say we cannot afford to let another nation enter; trouble enough now in Mexico, and with other republics to the south, without engaging in any more enterprises of this kind.

"Who today would propose that we let Japan have a naval station in Mexico? Who today in our country would assent if England proposed to transfer British Columbia to Japan? We would go to war in a minute to prevent it, because we would be opposed to letting Japan or China have a base of supplies on this side of the Pacific."

When Representative Mann took the floor, Manuel Quezon, resident commissioner from the Philippines, had just concluded a plea for independence and for prompt action on the Jones bill which would declare the purpose of the United States to grant independence as soon as the Filipinos are capable of self government.

RECORDS FOR COAL EXPORT ARE BROKEN

Norfolk, Va., Oct. 1.—During the month of September, Norfolk broke all records for coal exports. The Norfolk & Western Railway dumped over its piers at Lamberts Point into the holds of vessels 690,348 tons of coal. This is the largest amount ever hauled by this railroad in one month. The Chesapeake & Ohio Railway dumped 331,089 tons and the Virginian 250,335 tons, a total of 1,271,712 tons.

Norfolk, Va., Oct. 1.—The battleship New Hampshire which was to have sailed for Hampton Roads today prior to her departure for Mexico was preventing from sailing by a fire which destroyed a turbine motor generator.

WE SHALL BREAK THE SOLID SOUTH"

So Roosevelt Says in Speech in Pennsylvania.

"ONLY WE CAN DO IT"

Former President Predicts Progressives Will Carry Louisiana and Urges of Pinchot for United State Senator.

Philadelphia, Oco. 1.—Urging the election of Gifford Pinchot, Washington party candidate for United States Senate, and calling on Pennsylvania voters to defeat Pinchot5's opponent, Senator Boies Penrose, whom he attacked as "embodying the evils of machine politics" Theodore Roosevelt jumped into the Pennsylvania political campaign tonight with a speech in the First Regiment armory here.

The Colonel also urged the election of Vance McCormick, Democratic candidate for governor, who was placed on the Progressive ticket after the withdrawal of William Draper Lewis.

"I ask for the support of the Gifford Pinchot for United States senator that the defeat of Penrose may be insured, and then for the support of McCormick and the rest of the Washington party ticket to wipe out Penroseism," said the former president. "Gifford Pinchot's election would be an honor not only to Pennsylvania but to the entire United States."

Colonel Roosevelt 'said that during his recent tour in the West he had encountered grea enthusiasm and meetings such as one seldom sees except during a presidential year. He predicte dthat Louisinana two years hence would cast her vote for the Progressive party. "We shall break the solid South and we are the only party that can do so," he declared.

"The people who surrender themselves to the leadership of a boss are not free men," said Col. Roosevelt. "The men who have surrendered their will and their judgment into the keeping of Mr. Barnes or Mr. Penrose, Mr. Murphy or Mr. Sullivan are not fit to be free citizens in a free republic.

"We are for principles and not for men. We support men or war against them only as incidental to securing the type of governmental action which we need. But there are men who personify forces of evil in such manner that that concerte atack must be made upon them, or else the evil left untouched."

Senator Penrose Replies.

Senator Boise Penrose issuer a formal statement tonight in reply to Col. Roosevelt's address.

"For fifteen years I enjoyed Mr. Roosevelt's confidene to an unusual extent," said Senator Penrose. "I supported him in all his political efforts and at a time when Mr. Hanner and many others were anxious to defeat him for the nomination for the presidency. After he had solemnly informed me that under no circumstances would he be a candidate for re-election to the presidency, I felt it my duty to support Mr. Taft."

Petersburg, Va., Oct. 1.—The state convention of Elks convened here today. The election of state officers will take place tomorrow, after which the local lodge will entertain the delegates at an old fashioned brunswick stew. Alexanderia has been chosen as the city for the 1915 convention.

WILSON WRITES TWO CAMPAIGN LETTERS

Endorsing Senators Shively and Chamberlain

Secretary Daniels Will Begin Campaign Speaking in Connecticut and in New Hampshire—Bryan in Middle West.

Washington, Oct. 1.—President Wilson today began his letter writing campaign for the election of Democratic senators and representatives. He wrote letters endorsing Senator Shively, of Indiana, and Senator Chamberlain, of Oregon. Others will be written later.

In his letter to Senator Owen endorsing Senator Chamberlain, the President declared that "the maintenance of the Democratic majority in the Senate is of the utmost importance to the country if the present policies and programme of the government are to be sustained and continued, and I take it for granted that voters everywhere will feel the force of that motive."

The letter endorsing Senator Shively, addressed to Majority Leadef Kern, of the Senate, stated in part:

"I am genuinely surprised that any question should have arisen as to whether I want Senator Shively returned. It would, in my judgment, be a very great loss to the party and to the Senate if he should not be re-elected. I trust that there is no doubt of his re-election."

Secretary Daniels will begin campaign speaking in Connecticut and New Hampshire. Secretary Bryan announced he would speak not only in Ohio, but also in Indiana, Iowa and Nebraska.

SCENE OF CARNAGE VIVIDLY DESCRIBED

How 15,000 Prussian Guards Attacked French Center.

AND WERE DEFEATED

How a French Battery Hurled Death Into Doomed Forces—Whole Regiment Was Wiped Out in Short Order.

Bordeaux, Oct. 1.—The defeat of 15,000 Prussian guards who attacked the French center September 26, is described today in the Petit Giornde. As soon as news of the German advance was received, French cavalry was sent to hold the enemy at Auberive, to give the artillery and infantry time to come up from Souain, a place near Auberive. But while the French dragoons were preparing to defend Auberive a brigade of Death's Head Hussars, avoiding the village, came across the vineyards and fields with the intention of surprising the French artillery on the march.

It was a critical moment. The French dragoons were two miles ahead and the infantry two miles behind the gunners, who were in danger of being sabred across their guns. The Hussars were only three-quarters of a mile away, galloping furiously. In two minutes the guns were unlimbered and lined up along the road. The enemy then was only 500 yards away and the command could be heard to prepare to charge the guns.

In the charge the Prussian cavalry gathered speed with every yard. When they were 200 yards away the French gunners aimed and there was a fish of fire. Through the blue smoke the artillerymen could see the enemy's horses rearing and officers trying vainly to rally the broken lines.

Two Thousand Horsemen Lay Dead.

A second time the battery hurled death into the doomed brigade. A great silence succeded the thunder of hoofs and the shouting of men. Two thousand horsemen lay as if struck by lightning.

But the artillerymen did not gaze long on this scene of carnage. They limbered their guns and rattled off to aid the dragoons, who were hard pressed and falling back along the highway. The guns were a welcome relief. This time the struggle was more even. The German quick firers returned the fire with interest, but the French infantry arrived and deployed among the vines, a bugle rang out and their bayonets flashed in the sun as they dashed forward.

Without cavalry to aid it the Prussian Guard was obliged to fal back. A battalion of Zouaves glided behind and occupied the valley of the Suippes, threatening to place the guard between two fires. A regiment of Grenadiers sacrificed itself to cover the retreat of the German columns on Rheims. Five times the Grenadiers hurled themselves against the French. They were repulsed every time and after the fifth charge only one section was left, an handful of men surrounding the flag.

Then first one, then two and then ten of the Grenadiers threw down their arms. A hundred men, mostly wounded, were all that were left of a splendid regiment. But their sacrifice had not been useless for it enabled the column to get safely under the guns of the forts at Berru and Nogent l'Abbesse.

AMERICAN AND BRITISH OFFICIALS CONFERRING

Concerning Commerce With European Countries.

Expected to Result Shortly in Complete Understanding as to Conditions Under Which Shipments May be Made.

Washington, Oco. 1.—Conferences progressing in Washington and London are expected to result shortly in a complete understanding between the United States and Great Britain as to conditions under which American products may be shipped to neutral European countries, and the products of those countries, as well as of belligerent countries, transported to the United States without interference from British or French cruisers.

There are many phases of the subject requiring separate examination and treatment, and the Senate Department regards each one disposed of as a step toward a final and comprehensive understanding. Germany and Austria have not been taken into the consultation, owing to the fact that so far no issue has arisen from the atempt of any of their cruisers to detain American vessels or cargoes.

Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, the British ambassador, made several calls at the State Department today and later indicted that substantial progress had been made.

In connection with the complaint of an American copper company that the cargoes in ingots had been divertd from Rotterdam to British ports, it was said that Solicitor Johnson, of the State Department, was endeavoring to ascertain all the facts as a condition precedent to any formal representations. A statement issued tonight by

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APPROPRIATES $1,000 INSTEAD OF THE $9,000

For Co-Operative Work in Holding Cotton.

State Board of Agriculture Holds Meeting and Considers Cotton Problem—Curtailment of Acreage Next Year Urged.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 1.—The State Board of Agriculture in special session here this afternoon decided to make a supplementary appropriation of $1,000 to the fund heretofore set aside in the budget for the co-operative marketing division with a view to effecting a co-operative work with a committee from the State Farmers' Union in a campaign for holding cotton for ten cents.

This is the outcome of the fight made by a number of members of the board, led by Dr. Clarence Poe, for an appropriation of $9,000 to supplement a $1,000 appropriation made by the Farmers' Union for this purpose, the Union joining in the appeal to the State Board of Agriculture to grant $9,000 for this purpose.

The Board of Agriculture adopted resolutions setting out conditions making it impossible to set aside more than $1,000 to be supplemented by whatever may be left on hand of the $1,500 appropriated for the division of marketing in the regular budget, estimated to be around $500. The resolutions specify that a special committee consisting of Governor Craig, Commissioner W. A. Graham, Dr. B. W. Kilgore and Prof. W. R. Camp, of the division of marketing, have immediate supervision of the expenditure of the funds in the campaign for holding cotton for ten cents and that this committee co-opeate with a committee from the Farmers' Union.

There are resolutions alos setting out that the farmers bear in mind that the price of the next cotton crop will depend largely on the amount of cotton planted and urging that the acreage be held down to such proportions as will assure maintaining prices fair to the growers.

It was also set out in the resolutions that the board will consider at its next semi-annual meeting in December the questions of increasing the appropriation of the co-operative marketing division to $10,000 and increasing the working force and general scope of the work of the division to aid farmenrs in marketing all kinds of North Carolina farm products. All members of the board were present.

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afternoon that a Japanese mine sweeper, the Nagato Maru, off Kiao Chow, was blown up and sunk. Three men were killed and 13 others wounded.

Another Japanese vessel, the supply ship Wakamiga Maru, was damaged. One man on board was killed and six injured.

ALLIES GAINING ON WEST.

General Situation Satisfactory, Says French Official Report.

Paris, Oct. 1.—The following official announcement was made tonight:

"This evening there is nothing of particular importance to describe except in the region of Roye (on the French left wing) a violent attack has resulted in our favor, and in the Argonne where we have made progress at several new points.

"The general situation remains satisfactory."

ANXIOUS BUT CONFIDENT.

Attitude of German People—Advance of Allies Virtually Admitted.

Amsterdam, via London, Oct. 1.—The Berliner Tageblatt in a leading article, says:

"The German people await anxiously but with confidence further news from the French war theatre. The news of the great advance of the French troops against the flank of our line should not unbalance us. Even if the French or English advance still further in a northwest direction, they always will encounter reinforcements which our commanders have kept back in expectation of such advances.

"The influence of the British reinforcements makes itself more and more felt. They are effective to impede us, though the results will not be lasting. Victory must be ours all the same. If it is gained after difficuty it will be all the more worth while.

"The center of the battle front is silent, listening breathlessly to the struggle on both wings. Around Verdun a decision comes nearer; we have forced our way through the forest of Argonne, but found on the heights west of the Meuse a strong position which the enemy had prepared. The French are experts at building positions. We know that such positions were as far as possible, constructed long before the outbreak of the war."

After expressing the opinion that the German armies between Verdun and the Argonne constitute a great menace to the French, the articles continues:

"But that the obstinacy of the French attack, which always returns, and the advance against us deserve just appreciation and will have taught a lesson to all who expected an easy time."

BOMBARDMENT SEVERE.

Heavy Artillery Attacks on Antwerp Forts Fierce.

Washington, Oct. 1.—The following dispatch from the Belgian minister of foreign affairs was made public at the Belgian legation here late today:

"Forts south and southeast of Antwerp have been violently bombarded since the 27th by heaviest artillery, which persists energetically. Attack takes place against forts Woelham, Wavre, St. Catherine and Lirre. On the southwest, attack of German troops against Willebroeck repulsed."

REPORT FROM PETROGRAD.

Two German Attempts to Force Passage of River Foiled.

London, Oct. 1.—A Reuters Petrograd dispatch says:

"In the Suwalki district the Russians foiled two German attempts to force a passage of the Niemen river between Olita on the north and Druskeniki on the south. Military critics point out that with the character of Augustowe and Koptzyewo the Russians have broken the German center.

"The German line extended from Ossowetz to Simmo, and the Russians, with great bravery, have expelled the Germans from their entrenchments on the lakes, which are divided by only from two to five miles of dry land.

"According to reports the German losses at Druskeniki amounted to 20,000. The rains have mired the roads so that many German guns have been embedded and lost."

GALACIA DESOLATE.

Villages Burned or Razed, Says One Who Has Been There.

Petrograd, Oct. 1, via London.—A Reuter correspondent, back from a tour of the Galacian battlefields, reports that from Lublin southward he found the country devastated and deserted, with the villages burned or razed.

At Tommassow depots for Russian troops had been improvised in barns.

The correspondent found Jaraslau surrounded with barbed wire behind which were entrenchments and undamaged earth works.

"The flight of the Austrians after so short a bombardment," he says, "appears to have been a most pusillanimous action."

The town itself presented a most animated appearance, business going on as usual.

4,000 GERMANS SURROUNDED.

By French Troops and Cut Off From Their Comrades—Being Shelled.

London, Oct. 1.—A Paris dispatch to the Daily Telegraph says:

"A fight is proceeding on part of the allies left resembling that at Paardeberg, in the South African war. Nearly 4,000 Germans are in the same plight as General Cronje was. They are completely surrunded by French troops in some quarries where they are cut off from all hope of rejoining their division and are being shelled."

SHOPMEN OF NORFOLK SOUTHERN ON STRIKE

Hundred or More Walked Out at Newbern Yesterday

Resent Dismissal of a Number of Their Fellow Workers on Account of Disagreement Arising Out of Holiday Work.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Newbern, N. C., Oct. 1.—Resenting the dismissal of several of the men employed in the local shops of the Norfolk Southern Railway, one hundred or more of the employes this morning went on strike. These men were employed in the boiler making, machine, carpentering and blacksmith departments and only a few men, nonunionists, were left to do the work.

This action is the culmination of a disagreement resulting from the fact that the company on Tuesday and Wednesday gave the men in the shops a holiday and then when several of the employes were sent for to come to work, they demanded pay for time and a half and this was refused. They then stated that they would not work without such compensation and were summarily dismissed. Following this other employes walked out and at a meeting of the union held Wednesday night the steps taken today were agreed upon.

Just what the culmination of the strike will be is not known. Several of the union heads are expected in the city tomorrow morning and the settlement will be left up to them.

Trouble has been brewing in the local shops for some time on account of the fact that the Norfolk Southern has cut the time of the employes and there is a general feeling of resentment on the part of the men employed there. Unless the strike is amicably settled, those who are in a position to know state that it will probably spread to other departments and mean a tie-up of a part of the system.

SUB-COMMITTEES WORKING ON WAR REVENUE BILL

Turning Tax on Gasoline to Motor Cars is Proposed.

Washington, Oct. 1.—Work on the war revenue bill was continued today by Senate Finance sub-committees, and preparations were made for the consideration of the measure by the full committee tomorrow. No general changes were considered, the sub committees confining their discussion to details.

The proposed tax on gasoline has been eliminated, the sub-committee considering that section of the bill substituting instead of a tax of 25 cents per horsepower on automobiles, and a selling tax on manufacturers of $1 per horsepower.

The National Association of Dyers and Cleaners of America, today presented to the committee a protest against the proposed tax of two cents a gallon on gasoline. It was stated that with this tax the dry cleaning industry had but one of two alternatives, either to increase charges or add to their annual expense of conducting their business. The protest stated 75 per cent. of all gasoline used in the United States is consumed in mechanical and industrial arts and less than 25 per cent. by automobiles.

AMFRICAN AND BRITISH OFFICIALS CONFERRING

(Continued From Page One.)

Counsellor Lansing denied that the British ambassador had given notice that Great Britain intended to seize goode listed as conditional contraband, destined for Germany, even if they were carried in neutral ship and consigned to neutral ports.

FIFTY MEN IMPRISONED IN MINE BY A CAVE-IN

But the Last One Crowled Out Last Night—No Life Lost.

Webb City, Mo., Oct. 1.—After more than two score men, many of them battered and bruised, had climbed up ladders to the surface, it was announced late tonight that the last of the men imprisoned by a cave-in in the American Davey Jins mines tonight had been rescued and that no lives had been lost.

Early reports said that a number of miners, said to be estimated at from 12 to 20 had been imprisoned and that it was believed all had perished, but rescurs succeeded in finding all who were in the mine.

AFTER THE WAR IN EUROPE THEN WHAT

Englishmen to a Man Expect Germany to be Crushed

PLANNING FOR FUTURE

Are Busily Engaged in Discussing Events That Might Take Place Following a Declaration of Peace—Map to Be Remade?

(Correspondence of Associated Press.)

London, September, 24.—After the war, then what! Englishmen to a man expect Germany to be crushed in the present contest and are busily engaged in discussing events which might follow a declaration of peace.

In a recent recruiting speech Winston Churchill, First Lord of the Admiralty, warned England against making the error Germany made in 1870, when she had France lying prostrate at her feet. He said: "Let us, whatever we do, fight for and work towards great and sound principles for the European system. And the first of those principles which we should keep before us is the principle of nationalities—that is to say, not the conquests or subjugation of any great community or of any strong race of men, but the setting free of those races which have been subjugated and conquered; and if doubt arises about disputed areas of territory we should try to settle their ultimate destination in the reconstruction of Europe which must follow from this war with a fair regard to the wishes and feelings of the peoples who live in them."

Mr. Churchill's expression of the opinion that Europe's map will be thoroughly remade is merely an echo of the talk of men of all classes. In the windows of many shops are signs "Keep trade in the usual channels while the map of Europe is being remade." Lecturers, preachers and editors are constantly discussing the probable redistribution of European territory.

Doubtless Germans and Austrians are also planning for the division of territory that they expect to acquire through the war and are arranging a wholly different apportionment from that contemplated by the allies. Following the suggestion of Winston Churchill many Englishmen, publicists and journalists are already turning Alsace—Lorraine back to France, and Schleswig-Holstein to Denmark, while German Poland is regarded as territory which should have its own government. But the English are not taking Russian Poland away from Russia and joining it with the section of Germany from which it was divorced so unwillingly.

Some difference of opinion exists among Englishmen as to what might be done with Trieste and the territory Austria took from Italy. The mere neutrality of Italy is regarded by some Britons as action which should be well rewarded, considering Italy's membership in the Triple Alliance with which it refused to act. Bosnia would be turned over to Servia in reward of its stand with the allies. Heregovina would be given to Montenegro and Transylvania to Roumania.

The possible entrance of Turkey into the struggle adds much interest to the work of the mapmakers. Threats from other Balkan States that they would fight Turkey in case it lent support to Germany and Austria give variety to the complications. Greece, Bulgaria and Roumania would doubtesls come in for generous slices of Mohammedan territory were The Porte to cast its lot with Germany, according to the British view. And Russia might come in for liberal helping of Asiatic Turkey, extending the change in maps well beyond the European lines, and probably giving Russia Russia much freer outlet to the Mediterranean.

Discussing the re-establishment of odl nations further, Winston Churchill said: "That is the aim which, if it is achieved, will justify the exertions of the war and will make some amends to the world for the loss and suffering, the agony of suffering, which it has wrought and entailed, and which will give to those who come after us not only the pride which we hope they will feel in remembering the martial achievements of the present age of Britain, but which will give them also a better and fairer world to live in and a Europe free from the causes of hatred and unrest which have poisoned the comity of nations and ruptured the peace of Christendom."

DEMOCRATS AGREE ON DATE OF ADJOURNMENT

Present Session of Congress is to End by 15th Inst.

House Can Finish Before That Time, But Senate Leaders Expect to Need Two Weeks More.

Washington, Oct. 1.—October 14th was agreed upon today by Democratic leaders as a tentative date for the adjournment of the present session of Congress. The Senate Steering committee quickly framed a legislative programme designed to conclude pending legislation by that date.

House leaders declared work on their side would be finished well before October 15th.

At the White House October 10th was mentioned as a date for adjournment, but Democratic leaders, after a conference with the President, determined at least two weeks would be necessary to allow the Senate to finish pending legislation. The Steering committee agreed that legislation should be confined to the war revenue bill and measures now in conference between the two houses, including the Clayton anti-trust bill. It is expected the Clayton bill conference report now under discussion in the Senate will be disposed of by the end of this week, and that the war revenue bill will be brought in Monday.

FURTHER ASSURANCES OF PERMANENT PEACE

Conveyed in Unofficial Reports From Mexico.

Outlook for Peaceful Settlement of Differences Between Factions "Very Hopeful," Say Wilson and Bryan.

Washington, Oct. 1.—Unofficial reports reaching the administration tonight from Constitutionalist sources here conveyed further assurances that permanent peace soon would be restored in Mexico through the resignation of General Carranza as provisional president, pending an election.

No official word from Mexico City concerning the convention, called to meet today to promulgate plans for a general election, or from the peace conference between Carranza and Villa representatives, was received by the State Department today.

Both President Wilson and Secretary Bryan said, however, the outlook for a peaceful settlement of differences between the factions in Mexico was "very hopeful."

Reports that troop movements had been ordered discontinued by agreement of the peace commissioners and that preparations for a general convention of Constitutionalist chiefs, October 10th, has been approved by the Carranza-Villa representatives, were accepted by officials here as an important step in the interests of peace.

Rafael Zubaran, head of the Constitutionalist agency here, issued a statement tonight in which he denied reports of the capture of Saltillo by Villa forces. Further information received by the agency confirmed reports that Generals Monciovio and Luis Herrera had revolted against Villa.

Strong representations have been sent to both Carranza and Villa against injuring foreign priests and nuns and officials today said that both leaders had assured the administration foreigners will be protected. The Constitutionalists have made it plain, however, that in cases where the clergy have aided the Huerta regime they will be compelled to leave the country, the stae of Durango, are said to have revolted to Carranza. Rumors that Gen. Monciovio Herrera, with his entire brigade, had revolted against Villa's ousthority were confirmed. Thomas Urbano of Villa's leaders, is reported to have taken Durango-City from Arrieta troops after a battle.

While nominally attacher to Villa's division, the Arrieta brothers, domingo and Mariano, on previous occasions have refused to obey his orders.

Rafael E. Muzquiz, Carranza consul general on the border, announced here today he had received definite information that scores of officers of the old Federal army were preparing to join Villa.

Sails for Vera Cruz.

Norfolk, Va., Oct. 1.—The battleship Rhode Island, which was recently ordered to prepare to sail for Mexico, left Hampton Roads this afternoon for Vera Cruz. The battleship Minnesota also under orders to sail for Mexico, is receiving temporary repairs at Philadelphia.

Auguas Calientes, Mex., Oct. 1.—Definite agreement cease all troop movements immediately and to call the greatest possible number of Constitutionalist chiefs here on October 5, preparatory to a general convention here October 10, was agreed on yesterday at the first conference between Villa and the Carranza peace commissioners.

New York, Oct. 1.—The New York chamber of commerce decided today to abandon its annual banquet because of the war. It was the first time such a step had been agreed upon since the financial depression of 1873. President Seth Low, in an explanattory statement said it had been suggested that many members might be glad to send to the Red Cross checks for $20, the usual price of tickets.

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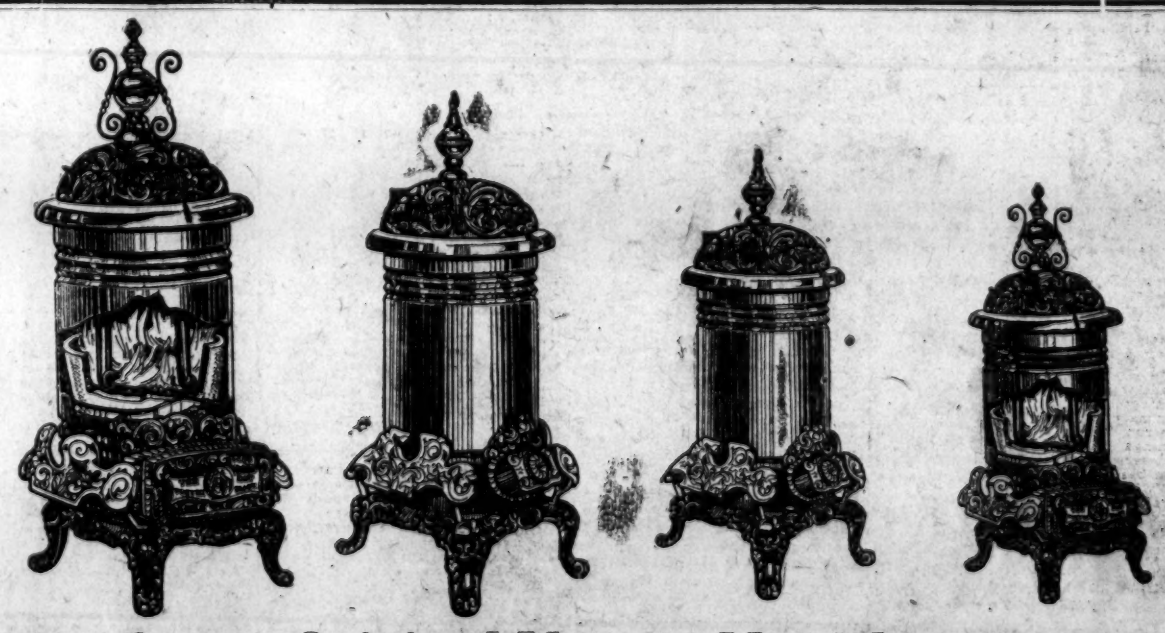

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A Letter Which Explains Itself

"Wilmington, N. C., August 11, 1914.

Mr. J. J. Loughlin,
City.

Dear Sir:

Referring to your visit to my office yesterday in the interest of the Wilmington-Carolina Beach Railway Company: You will recall that I stated that I had not heard the other side of the question, and that on the face of your statement you seemed to be entitled to a vote on your proposition for a franchise. I had given the matter no serious thought, but have since had the side of the Tide Water Power Company presented, which puts a very different light on the subject.

Briefly, I do not think it is a good business proposition for the public to grant a franchise to a company which is not financially able to put through its proposition, and which must rely upon capitalizing its franchise in order to finance its project. If this were an original proposition, in which another company had not occupied the field, and was serving the territory, it would be, perhaps, permissible, but under the present circumstances, with a company financially competent to carry through its financial undertakings, and which has given value for its franchise in service, and both capable and disposed to extend adequate facilities to meet the growing demands, it appeals to my sober second thought as unwise to inject a speculative proposition.

I may add that the financial situation, world-wide in its dislocation, almost precludes the possibility of your company successfully financing its project, while the injection of this element in our local situation might, while availing nothing for your proposition, operate against the material interests of our public well-being.

I must conclude, therefore, that the Tide Water Power Company is entitled to its franchise, and that it would be against sound public policy for it to be denied its rights. I am very friendly disposed towards your suburban developments, and am pleased to learn that it is possible for your company to make satisfactory trackage arrangements with the Tide Water Power Company for entering the city.

Yours very truly,
(Signed) J. A. TAYLOR."

The foregoing letter is clear-cut, and does not require comment.

Mr. J. Allen Taylor consented to its publication, so that it might counteract the rumor which had received circulation that he was favorable to the granting of a franchise.

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(To be Continued.)

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SPORTS

MACK'S SUBS AGAIN DEFEAT WASHINGTON

Score In Final At Capital Three to One

Bentley and Williams Were Wild—Red Sox and Yankees Split a Double Header—Browns Defeated Detroit Tigers.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Philadelphia	97	50	.660
Boston	89	59	.601
Washington	77	72	.517
Detroit	78	73	.516
St. Louis	69	80	.463
New York	68	81	.456
Chicago	68	82	.453
Cleveland	51	100	.338

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

At Washington 1; Philadelphia 3.
At Boston 3; New York 5.
2nd: Boston 4; New York 2.
At St. Louis 7; Detroit 3.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY.

St. Louis at Chicago.
Washington at Philadelphia.
New York at Boston.

Washington, Oct. 1.—Philadelphia's substitute team defeated Washington again today, taking the last game of the season here 3 to 1. Walsh hit a home run in the fourth inning scoring Davies ahead of him, and another was added in the ninth on two singles, a sacrifice fly and a passed ball.

Philadelphia:	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Thompson, c f	4	0	0	2	0	0
Davies, l f	4	1	0	2	0	0
Walsh, 3-b	4	1	2	0	0	1
Kopf, s s	3	0	0	5	3	0
Lapp, c	3	1	1	5	2	0
Carruthers, 2-b	3	0	1	2	3	0
Mack, 1-b	4	0	0	9	1	0
Coombs, r f	4	0	2	2	0	0
Wyckoff, p	4	0	1	0	1	0
Totals	33	3	7	27	10	1

Washington:	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Acosta, c f	4	0	1	1	0	1
Foster, 3-b	2	0	0	1	4	0
Pick, r f	3	0	0	0	0	0
Gandil, 1-b	4	1	1	14	1	0
Meusell, l f	2	0	0	1	0	0
Milan, l f	1	0	0	0	0	0
Morgan, 2-b	4	0	1	1	2	0
Henry, c f	3	0	0	8	2	0
McBride, s s	3	0	0	1	2	1
Bentley, p	3	0	0	0	6	1
Williams, D., p	0	0	0	0	0	0
* Moeller	1	0	0	0	0	0
** Williams, A.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	30	1	3	27	17	3

*—Batted for Bentley in eighth. **—Batted for Milan in ninth.

Philadelphia .....000 200 001—3
Washington .....000 000 001—1

Summary: Three base hits Gandil; home run, Walsh; hits off Bentley 5 in 8 innings, off D. Williams 2 in 1 inning; sacrifice hits Lapp, Carruthers; stolen base, Foster; first base on balls off Wyckoff 4, Bentley 1; first base on errors Philadelphia 2, Washington 1; struck out by Wyckoff 5, Bentley 4; passed ball Henry; wild pitch D. Williams. Time 1:30. Umpires Evans and O'Brien.

PECKINPAUGH'S CHARGES DIVIDED WITH RED SOX.

Boston, Oct. 1.—Today's double header resulted in an even break, New York taking the first 5 to 3, and Boston the second 4 to 2.

New York .....101 100 011—5 9 4
Boston .....000 020 100—3 8 2

Warhop and Sweeney; Foster and Thomas and Cady.

Second game:

New York .....000 100 010—2 6 4
Boston .....013 000 00x—4 10 2

McHale and Nunamaker; Bedient and Cady.

ST. LOUIS SEASON CLOSES WITH A LOCAL VICTORY

St. Louis, Oct. 1.—The local American League season ended today with a victory for the home team over Detroit 7 to 3.

Detroit .....100 002 00—3 3 2
St. Louis .....310 020 01—7 9 0

Dauss and Stanage; Hamilton and Agnew. (called end eighth, darkness.)

FEDERAL

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Chicago	84	64	.568
Indianapolis	81	65	.555
Baltimore	78	66	.542
Buffalo	76	67	.532
Brooklyn	73	72	.503
Kansas City	65	79	.451
St. Louis	61	84	.421
Pittsburg	60	81	.426

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

At Chicago 2; St. Louis 1.
At Brooklyn 0; Baltimore 3.
At Buffalo 2; Pittsburg 8.
At Indianapolis 3; Kansas City 3. (10 innings.)

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY.

St. Louis at Chicago.
Baltimore at Brooklyn.
Pittsburg at Buffalo.
Kansas City at Indianapolis.

LEAGUE LEADERS DOWN ST. LOUIS FEDS

Chicago, Oct. 1.—St. Louis was defeated today by Chicago 2 to 1. The winning run was made off Crandall on singles by Zeider and Zwilling and a sacrifice fly by Wilson.

St. Louis. . . . . .000 000 001—1 5 3
Chicago. . . . . .100 000 01x—2 3 2

Watson, Crandall and Chapman; Pendergast and Wilson.

KANSAS CITY PLAYS TIE WITH INDIANAPOLIS

Indianapolis, Oct. 1.—Kansas City and Indianapolis today played a ten inning game to a tie. Darkness ended the game.

Kansas City. . .100 001 100 0—3 12 3
Indianapolis. . . . . 000 000 111 0—3 8 3

Cullop and Easterly; Kaiserling, Billiard, Whitehouse and Texter.

PLAYING ERRORLESS GAME GAVE TERRAPINS VICTORY

Brooklyn, Oct. 1.—Playing an errorless game and bunching their few hits to advantage, Baltimore defeated Brooklyn by 3 to 0 in the second game of the series here.

Baltimore. . . . .000 010 020—3 7 0
Brooklyn. . . . .000 000 000—0 3 3

Quinn and Kerr, Lafitte and Watson.

LECLAIR HELD BUFFALO TO THREE SCATTERED HITS

Buffalo, Oct. 1.—Leclair kept Buffalo's three hits scattered today, Pittsburg winning 8 to 2.

Buffalo. . . . . .010 000 100—2 3 4
Pittsburg. . . . .103 001 001—8 10 3

Schultz, Woodman, Brown and Blair, Lavigne; Leclair and Berry.

WILMINGTON HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

Annual Meeting and Election of Officers Yesterday.

The Wilmington High School Athletic Association held its first meeting of the season yesterday at which officers were elected for the ensuing year. Walter Hatch was again elected president, Norman Shepard, vice president, and Charles Hazelhurst treasurer. Immediately after the election of officers, "Rock" Hall was appointed Captain.

The football team has commenced practice, and about 30 were hard at work in the first practice period. Indications are that this year's eleven will far surpass last season's team, and will be the strongest that the school has put out in years.

Among the old men back this year are "Red" Grant, tackle, Capt. Hall, half back, Isaac Silverman, Johnson and Hanby, guards, Rhodes, center, Hashagen, half back, Bagley, full back. Besides, there is a bunch of promising new material from which to round out a team.

The first game is scheduled for October 10th. Through the courtesy of the owners, the Hilton field will be used.

WHAT IT WILL COST TO SEE WORLD SERIES

At Boston.

Boxes, $5.00 each seat; grand stand $3; pavilions, reserved, $2; general admission, $1; 25 cent bleacher seats, 50 cents.

At Philadelphia.

Boxes, $5 each seat; grand stand, $3; pavilions, reserved, $2; general admission $1.

BRAVES WIN ANOTHER FROM THE GIANTS

Game Was Close, And Won in Ninth Inning.

Davis, Stallings' Second String Twirler, Held Giants to Eight Hits. Phillies Won Final at Home. Pittsburg Downed Reds.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Boston	90	56	.616
New York	80	68	.541
St. Louis	78	69	.531
Chicago	75	73	.507
Brooklyn	72	76	.487
Philadelphia	73	76	.490
Pittsburg	65	83	.439
Cincinnati	58	90	.392

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

At New York 6; Boston 7.
At Philadelphia 9; Brooklyn 7.
At Pittsburg 5; Cincinnati 1.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY.

Philadelphia at Brooklyn.
Boston at New York.
Cincinnati at Pittsburg.
Chicago at St. Louis.

New York, Oct. 1.—Boston won a close game from New York today 7 to 6. The visitors scored their winning run in the ninth inning, when with two out, Schupp hit Schmidt and Smith and the two scored on hits by Maranville and Gowdy.

Tabulated Score.

Boston:	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Moran, r f	2	1	1	3	0	0
Mann, l f	2	1	1	2	0	1
Evers, 2-b	5	1	1	0	3	0
Connolly, l f	3	1	1	1	0	0
Cather, r f	2	0	2	1	0	0
Whitted, c f	5	1	1	2	0	0
Schmidt, 1-b	4	1	1	4	1	0
Smith, 3-b	2	1	1	0	1	0
Maranville, s s	4	0	2	6	2	0
Gowdy, c	4	0	1	8	1	2
Davis, p	3	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	36	7	12	27	9	3

New York:	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Bescher, l f	3	0	0	6	1	1
Doyle, 2-b	3	0	1	3	4	0
Burns, r f	4	0	0	0	0	0
Fletcher, s s	3	2	2	2	3	1
Snodgrass, c f	4	0	0	4	0	0
Grant, 3-b	3	1	2	1	3	0
Merkle, 1-b	4	1	1	7	1	0
Meyers, c	3	1	2	3	1	0
* Thorpe	0	1	0	0	0	0
Demaree, p	1	0	0	1	0	0
** Donlin	1	0	0	0	0	0
Schupp, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
*** Murray	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	6	8	27	13	2

*—Ran for Meyers in ninth. **—Batted for Demaree in fifth. ***—Batted for Schupp in ninth.

Boston .....400 001 002—7
New York .....000 021 011—6

Summary: First base on errors, Boston 1; two base hits, Mann, Cather (2), Fletcher (2), Gowdy, Meyers; sacrifice fly, Gowdy, Grant; stolen bases, Meyers, Merkle; left on bases, New York 5, Boston 10; double plays, Evers, Maranville and Schmidt, Doyle and Merkle; base on balls off Demaree 3, off Schupp 2, off Davis 3; struck out by Demaree 2, Davis 6; hit by pitcher by Davis 1 (Doyle), by Schupp 2 (Schmidt, Smith); Passed ball, Gowdy; hits off Demaree 6 in 5 innings, off Schupp 6 in 4 innings. Time 2:02. Umpires Klem and Emslie.

GABBY CRAVATH MAKES NINETEENTH HOME RUN.

Philadelphia, Oct. 1.—Philadelphia won the final National League game of the season here today from Brooklyn 9 to 7. Cravath's home run was his 19th of the season.

Brooklyn .....300 200 200—7 9 3
Philadelphia .....014 001 03x—9 13 1

Ragan, Schmutz, Steele and McCarty; Tincup, Baumgartner, Mayer and Burns.

FITTERY STRUCK OUT EIGHT IN THREE INNINGS.

Pittsburg, Oct. 1.—Pittsburg opened the final home series by defeating Cincinnati 5 to 1 today. Fittery, who replaced Ames, struck out eight men in three innings. Manager Herzog, of Cincinnati, was in the game again, his suspension having been lifted.

Cincinnati .....000 001 000—1 4 3
Pittsburg .....101 011 10x—5 12 1

Ames, Fittery and Gonzales; Adams and Schang.

RED SOX LINING UP.

Boston, Oct. 1.—Manager Carrigan and outfielder Hopper of the Boston Americans today signed for the next two seasons, and pitcher Joe Wood for 1915. Hoblitzel is now the only regular who has not signed a contract for next year.

The City National Bank of New York is putting into operation in two of the South American countries one of the necessary factors in doing a satisfactory export trade with those countries. The City National will establish a branch bank at Rio and at Buenos Ayres. These will tremendously facilitate American trade in those countries, but there are two more important factors which should not be left out of consideration. One of these is a big warehouse at each of the points where the goods can be carried ready for delivery and where the bank could finance these goods on the spot. Another factor is American ships. If we get these three factors in working order in any country, we are just as bound to do a trade with that country as a new railroad makes trade wherever it is built. In connection with the location of warehouses in foreign countries wherever there are branch banks, it is absolutely necessary to have the warehouses under some direction that will insure the safety of the goods while the banks loan the money on them.—Charlotte Observer.

NOTICE OF REGISTRATION AND GENERAL ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given of the General Election in the County of New Hanover on Tuesday after the first Monday of November, it being the 3rd day of November, 1914.

Said election will be held during the hours and in the manner prescribed by law, and at the places hereinafter named.

Registration books will be opened Monday, October 5th, and remain open until the close of the day of October 25th, for the registration of new voters and the transfer of voters from one Ward or Precinct to another.

Registrars will be in attendance at the polling places of their respective wards and precincts on Saturdays of each week during said registration period.

The polling places and names of the registrars and Judges of Election fixed for the aforesaid election are as follows:

First Ward, First Precinct—Polling place: Fourth Street Bridge. Registrar, W. McD. Evans; Judges, B. C. Moore and James Elkins.

First Ward, Second Precinct—Polling place: Engine House, Fourth and Campbell streets. Registrar, W. H. Howe; Judges, W. H. Northrop, Jr., and Wm. Sheehan.

Second Ward—Polling place: Court House. Registrar, W. W. Hodges; Judges, H. P. Munson and W. J. Meredith.

Third Ward—Polling place: Giblem Lodge, Eighth and Princess streets. Registrar, A. G. Hankins; Judges, S. J. Ellis and Coy Hewett.

Fourth Ward—Polling place: McClellan's Stable, on Dock, between Front and Second. Registrar: Geo. P. Howie; Judges, J. O. Reilly and S. Seigler, Sr.

Fifth Ward, First Precinct—Polling place: Front and Queen streets. Registrar, R. Henry Orrell; Judges, Edward Register and Thos. Lossen.

Fifth Ward, Second Precinct—Polling place: Engine House, Sixth and Castle streets. Registrar, T. G. Landen; Judges, W. M. Creasy and W. H. Biddle.

Cape Fear Precinct—Polling place: Johnson's Store, Four and One-Half Mile Post. Registrar, J. Herbert Johnson; Judges, W. D. Rhodes, Jr., and J. W. Winders.

Delgado Precinct — Polling place: Barber Shop. Registrar, R. F. Hall; Judges, W. D. McCaig and W. A. Woods.

Seven Mile Post Precinct—Polling place: Seven Mile Post. Registrar, Jas. N. Shepard; Judges, R. J. Canady and M. O. West.

Seagate Precinct—Polling place: Rodgers' Store. Registrar, John Hines; Judges, G. W. Westbrook and Geo. Rodgers.

Masonboro Precinct — Polling place: Farrar's Store. Registrar, W. Horne; Judges, J. F. Herring and Addison Hewlett.

Federal Point Precinct — Polling place: T. J. Burnett's house. Registrar, H. A. Kure, Sr.; Judges, T. J. Burnett and Hank Williams.

The above notice cancels all other polling places and the changes indicated are hereby published in accordance with law, together with the full list of polling places.

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C. W. WOODWARD, Chairman,
Board of Elections of New Hanover County.

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Mexico may have another new persident any morning. The Mexicans do not give their persidents any chance to contribute a page to history.

It is feared that three distinguished men advocated as peace makers would have a row among themselves unless one would be allowed to dictate all the propositions.

A big navy and a big army will keep other nations from jumping on us but it is no guarantee that we will not jump on them if they refuse to salute the flag.

As a general thing most of the editorials on the war situation as it is viewed in this country are as funny as some of the censored news coming from the rear of the front.

It takes a genuine artist to draw on his imagination in a way that his pen pictures of the war scenes sell right along. The "old masters" did poor but the new masters seem to know how to get the cash.

A surgeon has informed a mother that an operation will make boys and girls truthful. He ought to tell the boys and girls what should be done to the men and women to make them stick to the truth when they are up against it.

The fact that there is a proposition for the State of South Carolina to go into the cotton warehouse business shows that one of the opportunities of private capital is a general warehousing business at commercial points in South Carolina. Here, too.

Says the Columbia State: "Oh, for those happy days when we were wondering what had become of Dorothy Arnold and Mona Lisa." Little did we think that the worst was yet to come and that we wouldn't know what to do when the cyclone struck us.

It is reported from many sections of the country that the gins are closed down. It is not due to the Democratic tariff. It is because cotton growers are taking care of their cotton in the seed and will have it ginned when it suits them to do so. Pretty independent cotton growers.

The Germans evidently expect to make themselves at home in Belgium. They are rehabilitating the towns and cities, have reorganized the school system and have the city administrations running smoothly at all places in the land. Antwerp resists but the Germans have laid seige to it and evidently except to use it as a naval base and for commerce when the chances suit.

Hereabouts farmers who have never made corn before have made corn this year and will have corn to sell. Some who never knew before how to raise corn have made from 50 to 60 bushels per acre, not with a view to winning prizes but for the purpose of saving (making) money on corn. They are satisfied that it does not pay to buy corn at from 90 cents to $1.00 a bushel when it can be produced at from 25 cents to 50 cents. Besides that, they get a pea crop and a hay crop by-product, while their lands are improved.

GOOD SIGNS OF BUSINESS REVIVAL.

There can be no discounting the serious dislocation of commerce and trade because of the war in Europe, but signs of good business are cropping out on all sides. European exports are on the increase, imports are coming in sufficient quantity to furnish the government with revenue, and large orders for manufactures are coming to the United States from Europe, South America and Asia.

For instance the Pmiladelphia Record notes that one of the European orders which the war has sent to this country has been obtained by the Pressed Steel Products Company, of Sharon, Pa. It is from the Russian Government, and is for 100,000 steel barrels for use in the Russian and Galician oil regions, and the best part of it is that hundreds of thousands of these barrels are needed, and have hitherto been obtained in Germany. The Sharon concern will run day and night for many weeks to fill this order, which it is believed will be followed by many more of the same sort, for Russia can hardly get the barrels from any other country.

With contracts coming to the United States for horseshoes, and saddles and harness for the armies, it can be observed that the trend is to depend on the United States for practically everything not now being made by the countries at war. Among the other announcements of new trade coming here is one that a single house in New York has sold to the French Government $600,000 worth of blankets made of cotton warp and wool filling, which run five pounds to the blanket and are sold in large quantities at 60 cents a pound. Large inquiries from another Government for all-cotton blankets are reported. We could hardly expect European governments to buy heavily of us in less than two months, says the Record, but now there are many indications of great demands from the belligerent nations, partly on Government and partly on private account.

With optimism coming from the cotton manufacturers all over the United States, it is safe to anticipate that a general revival of business is well on the way.

GOVERNOR CRAIG FOR THE AMENDMENTS.

It is authoritatively announced that Governor Craig will heartily urge the adoption of the ten constitutional amendments at the ballot box in November. He will make a number of campaign speeches and in each will explain the necessity for the amendments in furthering the development of the State.

The Governor's opening campaign speech will be delivered at Statesville next Thursday, but it is said to be doubtful whether he will wait till then to make a speech for the amendments. The Durham fair will open next Tuesday with a speech by the Governor and it is hinted that while he will have there a non-partisan audience he may speak on the non-partisan amendments. Since they are not partisan in any particular and are simply in the interest of all the people and the State, it matters not what party shall administer the State next year or at any time in the future. To an interviewer, the Governor said with reference to the amendments:

"I don't have anything of a special nature to say, but I am going to advocate the amendments both in my political speeches and in my other addresses. I am not claiming any originality when I say so, but I recommended these amendments in my inaugural address and talked with all parties and nearly all members of that General Assembly. They favored them, I had attended many conventions, farmers and otherwise, and they gave me a hint of such needs as these. Our constitutional commission was non-partisan and they did their work well. I am going to say this—that in the light of the long and thorough discussion of the amendments last year, it is rather late for opposition to them now.

"I am not going to tell you anything that I am to say, but I think I shall discuss these amendments next week at the fair. Why shouldn't I? They are not partisan measures and that won't be a partisan crowd. I didn't mean to say anything about my purpose, but I don't object to saying this."

The Governor is entirely consistent and conscientious in his attitude towards the amendments. He knows the need of them if any man does, and from start to finish his influence has been strong for the absolutely necessary changes in the State's first law and gospel.

OUTLOOK STEADILY IMPROVING.

The country was not prepared to hear that exports in New York during September were largely on the increase. During the week ended Sptmber 26th, the export values footed up $20,032,132, compared with $16,810,536 during the corresponding week in September, 1913. This, the New York Journal of Commerce states, is the largest since the war broke out in Europe, and it indicates a steady trend towards normal conditions. During the week ended September 22, exports dwindled to $8,477,361, for the week, compared with $15,797,498 during the corresponding week in 1913. That was the low water mark for the war. After the third week in September exports steadily increased, and it finally turned out that exports during the September just ended were practically normal. That is a remarkable showing, considering the fact that trade with Germany and Austria is cut off.

Imports also have steadily increased and consequently the United States revenue receipts have been larger. In fact, the government is collecting sufficient duty on imports to show that the Treasury will have little use for a war tax. The altogether satisfactory pick up in imports may be judged from this editorial reference in the Journal of Commerce:

"About the same time that the House of Representatives, under dictation from the party leaders, and with only the most formal debate, was passing by a very heavy majority the bill to raise an additional revenue of $105,000,000 a year, the Department of Commerce was giving out figures regarding our commerce in August that prove the bill to be a preposterous superfluity. These figures show that in August the imports from the United Kingdom were $17,872,270 against $20,718,597 in August, 1913. The decrease is about $3,000,000, or not quite 15 per cent. This was in the month when the outbreak of the war paralysed trade for a week or ten days, and restricted it for two or three weeks longer. Ever since the latter part of August the carrying trade has been rapidly improving, until now it is almost normal, except for sailings to Germany and Austria. The month of August, then, saw the maximum interruption to our trade with Western Europe, and in this month our imports from the United Kingdom decreased rather under 15 per cent."

During the first shock of the war in Europe, most of the damage to trade and commerce was done during the first six weeks, beginning August 1. Thereafter there has been a steady recovery and if it keeps up there will be no need of a war tax. Sixty days after war was declared there is evident revival of industry and commerce throughout the United States.

AFTER ANTWERP.

The movement of the Germans towards capturing Antwerp is variously viewed. The siege now going on there is believed by some experts to mean that the Germans propose to abandon France and retire into Belgium. Their taking Antwerp, it is argued, would enable them better to hold Belgium agianst the allies. Hence, the strategists who figure that way anticipate that the meaning of the siege of Antwerp is that the Germans find it necessary to abandon all their previous plans to crush France steam roller fashion. All that is the merest guesswork. The most probable explanation is to be found in a Copenhagen dispatch under date of September 29th. That dispatch says:

"Travelers arriving here from the Kiel Canal say that the Germans are busy placing new ordnance, which the Krupp works has been experimenting with for the past two years, on the armored cruisers and dreadnaughts. The canal is described as being crowded with warships, including the largest battleships. The arsenals are busy day and night and long trains arrive continuously with immense guns for the ships. The Germans are reported as declaring that the whole fleet will soon be ready to fight."

If there is any truth in the statement that the German navy will soon be ready to fight, the determination of the Germans to seize Antwerp is with a view to using that port as one of the naval bases for the fleet on the North Sea. At present the fleet has to confine itself to Hamburg and Bremen and keep under cover in the Kiel canal and around Helgoland.

There is the other and most likely view that the German army in France will make its winter quarters right where it is. While the army pushed the allies close around Paris some weeks ago, engineers were back in the rear laying off and fortifying the present German position in the center. Even concrete foundations were made back in the rear for the big guns, and everything seems to point to the fact that the Germans have gone into camp for the winter, if the allies do not drive them out.

CURRENT COMMENT.

The convict guards of Pasquotank County have resigned because shackles have been removed from the prisoners and they can no longer whip them. If that is the way they feel about it they did not resign soon enough.—Durham Herald.

The State board of education has adopted a geography for the public schools of the State which teaches the evolution of man from the lower animals. Did you grasp that statement? Our schools that are making the citizenship of tomorrow are actually a party to undermining the Bible and its most sacred teaching. Even if the parents teach their children what the Bible says as to the work of creation, the school will teach something to the contrarary, and as a result the children will naturally doubt both theories. Those who fought so vigorously to keep the Bible out of the public schools are the self same persons who are responsible for this work of the higher critics being placed in the schools as a substitute for the teachings of the Bible. Among this number we would ask our readers to mark Mr. J. Y. Joyner, superintendent of public instruction and hold him strictly to account fir this action which would make ours a Godless public school.'—Our Fatherless Ones.

A movement has been started by the daughters of Hoke Smith, Champ Clark and other Washington officials which promises to achieve far-reaching results. These young ladies are urging all American women to buy home made cotton goods, and to substitute cotton goods for other fabrics of women's apparel. A day has been named at which time every American girl who can do so is urged to purchase one dollar's worth of cotton goods at least. To this advice several state congressmen are suavely advising women to wear more cotton petticoats, the selfsame article of apparel apparently having gone largely out of usage in late years. "Wear more skirts and broader skirts," is the sogan, and women are urged to wear skirts and dresses and waists and stockings et cetera made of cotton. Those who might consder this movement lightly are reminded that if a considerable portion of American women followed this advice a very material increase in Amsicran cotton goods consumption would be made, which would mean that an appreciable proportion of the South's cotton surpuls would mean better prices to farmers and better conditions for everybody. May every success attend the movement started by these loyal young ladies of the South. We hope that it will spread to every quarter of the whole country for the plan holds untold possibilities for achievement.—Charlotte News.

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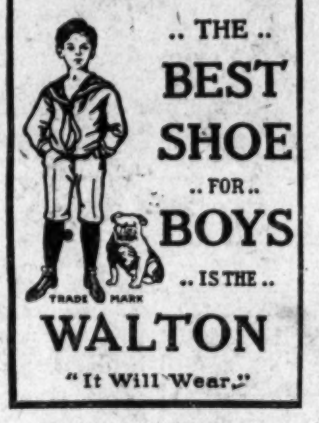

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To the Editor of The Star:

The friends of the present administration, under the encouragement of growing numbers and increasing confidence in the wisdom and justice of its course, can well afford to take useful lessons, even from those who criticise and condemn some of its most useful acts. Therefore, in the hope of giving it larger publicity, I wish to call attention through the columns of your paper to the following extract from an article by Mr. Roosevelt, published in the "Outlook" for September 23rd.

"But in view of what has occurred in ths war, surely the time ought to be ripe for the nations to consider a great world agreement among all the civilized military powers **to back righteousness by force.** Such an agreement would establish an efficient World League for the Peace of Righteousness. Such an agreement could limft the amount to be spent on armaments and, after defining carefully the inalienable rights of each nation which were not to be transgressed by any other, could also provide that any cause of difference among them, or between one of them and one of a certain number of designated outside non-military nations, should be submitted to an international court, including citizens of all these nations, chosen not as representatives of the nations, **but as judges,** —and perhaps in any given case the particular judges could be chosen by lot from the total number. To supplement and make this effectual it should be solemnly covenanted that if any nation refused to abide by the decision of such a court the others would draw the sword on behalf of peace and justice and would unitedly coerce the recalcitrant nation. This plan would not automatically bring peace, and it may be too soon to hope for its adoption; but if some such scheme could be adopted, in good faith and with a genuine purpose behind it to make it effective, then we would have come nearer to the day of world peace."

These words express in Mr. Roosevelt's usual vigorous style an ideal toward which I have thought for years past the civilized nations of the world should be striving, and I hope the proposal coming from so distinguished a citizen will receive general and favorable attention. It is to be regretted, however, that in the same article he weakens the force of his suggestion by denouncing those initial steps taken by our govenment which should eventually lead up to the very conditions under which he hopes for international peace.

Because of the recent violation of the neutrality of Belgium by one of the Signatory Powers, and of other like instances in the past, he apparently considers all peace treaties without value in the exigencies of war, and names instances in which they "proved as utterly worthless as our own recent all inclusive arbitration treaties."

Probably no one has taken the trouble to tabulate the treaties that have not been violated. Neither have we a published list of all the law-abiding men in our country. But the few murderers who constitute so small a part of our population receive more attention in the public press than the millions of good citizens who never commit a crime or appear in court. A careful comparison would show, perhaps in a lesser degree, a similar difference in publicity between treaties violated and treaties faithfully observed. It is a sad commentary on the morals of nations that they do violate treaties. It is also a sad fact that men commit murder, but no one for that reason has suggested the wisdom of repealing our criminal statutes against murder. And by parity of reasoning, why should we attach no value to arbitration treaties between nations because they are sometimes violated?

The concluding paragraph of the above extract suggests a value the writer is apparently unwilling to accord to these "worthless treaties." He admits "it may be too soon to hope for the adoption of his plan," which is a most excellent one, and yet he condemns these undertakings between nations which contain the very germs of the higher ideal toward which he is looking.

Perhaps it may not be too soon for the nations to consider some such foundation for peace. Indeed the time may be most opportune. And the war in Europe with all its needless slaughter and agony will not be altogether in vain if the exhausted governments of the warring nations shall be drawn through "virtue of necessity" into a peace pact including provision for gradual disarmament, and an international court with power to enforce obedience to its decrees and, if necessary to "coerce the recalcitrant nation." If, however, the time has not yet come for the full realization of this hope, there is much preparatory work that can be done by those who are willing to progress slowly rather than not at all. The regeneration and elevation of nations as well as of individuals is a slow and painful process requiring much patience. In a recent article, I undertook to show that the world had made great progress in almost everything except the one thing that most vitally affects the life and character of nations. And because this one thing of paramount importance has been so long neglected, it is all the more imperatively the duty of all lovers of their fellow men to further by patient and persistent effort, and, if need be, by slow processes, the application of common sense, reason, and justice to the settlement of all international differences.

B. F. HALL,
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FORMAL OPENING AT CLYDE TERMINALS THIS AFTERNOON

Prominent Officials of Clyde and Mallory Lines Here for Occasion—Handsome New Warehouses Will be Thrown Open to Public From 1 to 5 o'Clock, and Hospitality Will be Dispensed From the Clyde Steamer Cherokee, Now in This Port.

The Clyde Line Steamship Company's handsome new $125,000 terminals at the foot of Castle street will be thrown open to the public this afternoon from 1 to 5 o'clock and it is expected that hundreds of citizens will accept the cordial invitation extended by the company to visit the property and inspect the mammoth warehouse and wharf just completed. Hospitality will be dispensed to the visitors aboard the handsome steamer Cherokee, now in port, and a several of the prominent officers of the Clyde and Mallory Lines are here to assist the local officials in receiving their guests.

The formal opening of the terminals presents to Wilmingtonians and visitors in the city an apportunity to inspect one of the largest and most modern steamship warehouses and wharves on the South Atlantic Coast, and also to go aboard the steamer Cherokee, easily one the handsomest freight and passenger carrying steamers playing this coast.

Mr. J. S. Raymond, assistant general manager of the Clyde and Mallory lines; Mr. J. B. Dennison, the freight traffic manager and Mr. G. W. Pettingill, general travelling agent, and Mr. H. G. Smallbones, the Wilmington commercial agent, will assist in receiving and entertaining the many visitors who will call to inspect the terminals.

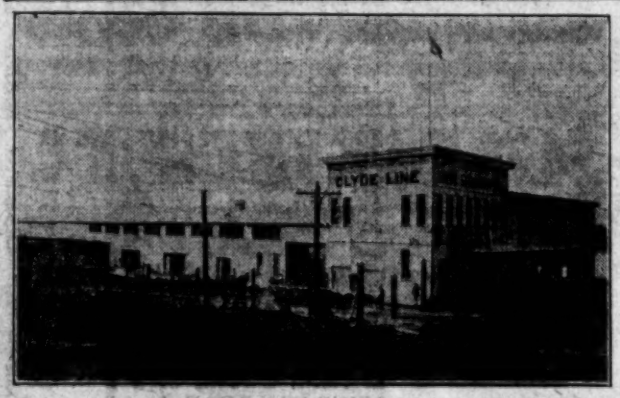
Mr. Raymond, who visited Wilmington several years ago, and is well known in business circles here, and Mr. Dennison, arrived yesterday morning, and are guests at the Hoitel Wilmington during their stay in the city. Mr. Pettingill came in last Sunday on the Cherokee, when she made a record run from New York to Wilmington, her own special celebration of the completion of the new terminals at this point. The Captain of the Cherokee and the other officers, as well as the members of the crew, will assist in receiving and entertaining those who call.

In connection with the competion of the new terminals, it has been whispered around for several weeks that the Clyde will in the near future put another and larger vessel than the Cherokee on the New York-Wilmington-Georgetown run, to alternate with the Cherokee, replacing the Navahoe, the other Clyde boat now on this run, TThe new vessel, it is said would be even more sumptuously appointed than the Cheorkee. It has been suggested that this vessel would be able to make the trip from Wilmington to New York in 30 hours.

That such an arrangement would prove popular and would result in a large increase in the passenger business between Wilmington and New York goes without saying. With a boat that could leave Wilmington Saturday afternoon and reach New York Sunday night or Monday morning, many business men at this point would find it convenient to make their trips to New York by water, or go by water one way at least. This would enable them to leave here Saturday afternoon, arrive in New York in time to transact their business Monday and return by rail Monday afternoon, arriving here Tuesday morning, thus losing little time from their business here. Definite announcement on the part of the Clyde Line relative to such an improvement in the service would be hailed with delight here.

The new terminals at the foot of Castle street, which have been in use since last Monday, were completed at a total cost of about $125,000. The buildings cost $75,000, and the site upon which they were erected cost about $50,000. Mr. Fred Richardson, of Jacksonville, Fla., was the contractor.

The warehouse is 135 feet in width and extends from Castle to Queen street, a city block, with the entrance on the Castle street side. On the second floor are located the offices, while throughout the warehouse are offices for shipping clerks, delivery clerks, etc. While the building is practically fireproof, all modern fire fighting facilities have been provided as an additional precaution. Combustible freight is stored at one end of the warehouse, which is so constructed that if fire should happen to break out here it could be confined to this portion of the building.



Connections with rail are furnished by two sidetracks connecting with the A. C. L. belt line, which accommodate 16 freight cars at one time. The wharfage facilities are ample in size to accommodate two large ships at one time.

Mr. C. J. Becker, the local agent of the Clyde Line, takes great prde in the new terminals of the company, and justly so, for they mark an important epoch in the development of Wilmington. Mr. Becker has been local agent for the company for the past two years, and has done much to build up the business to and from this port. He is a man of genuine executive ability, and withal a most pleasing personality which has won for him a host of friends in the city.

LIST OF ELECTION OFFICERS

Poll-Holders and Registrars for November Election—Change in Two Polling Places.

Elsewhere in today's issue, in the form of a formal notice from the New Hanover county Board of Elections, appears a list of the poll-holders and registrars and the polling places for the general election of November 3rd, when county and legislative officers will be elected.

The first two names on the list for each precinct are Democrats, recommended to the board by Chairman Joseps W. Little, of the County Democratic Executive Committee, while the last name on the list for each precinct is the Republican official, recommended by Chairman T. E. Wallace, of the Republican county Executive Committee, the election laws providing that the election officers for each precinct shall include two Democrats and one Republican.

Two changes will be noted in the list of polling places, since the last general election. In the first precinct of the Fifth ward, the polling place has been changed from the site of the new city fire station at Fifth and Castle streets, now under construction, to Front and Queen streets. On account of the fact that the new fire station is now being erected at Fifth and Castle streets, the old polling place was not available for this election.

The other change is in Cape Fear township, the polling place having been moved from Castle Haynes to the Four and one-half mile post on the Castle Haynes road. This change was made by the Board of Elections in order to make it more central to the whole township, the old location having been almost in the northern edge of the county and township.

The registration books for the general election will be open from October 5th to 25th, and the registrars will be at the polling places all day on each of the Saturdays during that period. On week days they may be found at their homes or their places of business.

No new registration is required for the election, the books merely being open for new names, or for transfers where change of residence from one precinct to another has occurred since the voter registered last.

However, as a matter of precaution, all voters are urged to make sure before October 25th that their names are properly registered on the books of their precinct.

MOVE STORE ROOM DOWNTOWN

Southern Bell Leases Building on North Third Street for Office of District Plant Chief.

The store room and office of the district plant chief of the Southern Bell Telephone & Telegraph Company is being transferred from Front and Ann streets to the building at No. 107 North Third street, formerly occupied by Mr. J. E. Hatch, the decorator, which has been leased for a term of years by the Southern Bell. The work of moving began yesterday, and will be completed within the next few days.

The new location of the office and store room, in addition to being much more conveniently located than the old, is also better adapted for the class of work which will be carried on from it. The building is admirably suited for the purpose, and also there is a large yard at the rear which will be used for storing cable, poles and other heavy stock.

Mr. C. R. Kingsley is plant chief for the Southern Bell for this district, and he will have his headquarters in the new office on North Third street. His department has in charge all the construction and maintenance of the city and long distance lines throughout the district, as well as the routine work of installing and discontinuing telephones, etc. Quite a number of men are employed in this office.

The Southern Bell in the past year has added many improvements to its system in Wilmington and the surrounding territory, spending many thousands of dollars in improvements following the disastrous snow and sleet storm of last winter, which did so much damage to the local and long distance lines of the company in this section. The local exchange, too, has been considerably enlarged, and additional equipment installed. The lease of the new and more centrally located building for the headquarters of the plant chief is in line with its progressive policy.

Took Hinnant Back.

Sheriff R. H. Edwards of Wayne county arrived in the city yesterday morning and took back with him last evening John Hinnant, white, a news "buch" on the Seaboard between Wilmington and Charlotte, who was arrested here Wednesday on a Superior Court capias from Wayne county.

PARTY CAMPAIGN SPEECHES

Dates for Democratic Addresses Announced by Chairman Warren—In Pender County.

Chairman Thos. D. Warren, of the State Democratic Executive Committee, has announced a list of campaign speeches, with the names of those who are to address the voters, during the campaign preceding the November elections. Word from Democratic headquarters at Raleigh is to the effect that already considerable interest has been manifested on the part of the Democratic voters of the State, and a full vote is expected to be polled.

Jos. W. Little, Esq., chairman of the New Hanover county Democratic Executive Committee, is on the list for speeches at Rocky Point and Burgaw. He will speak with Hon. Geo. E. Hood, Democratic nominee for Congress from the Third district. Mr. Hood and Mr. Little will speak at Rocky Point tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock, and at Burgaw next Monday, the county seat of Pender county.

The speakers, and dates of speakings, for the central and eastern sections of the State, as announced by Chairman Warren, are as follows:

Hon. A. L. Brooks—Washington, Monday, October 5th, at noon. Greenville, Monday, October 5th, at night.

Hon. Locke Craig—Statesville, Friday, October 9th.

Hon. A. W. McLean—Elizabethtown, Monday, October 5th.

Hon. N. J. Rouse—Nashville, Monday, October 12th.

Hon. Geo. E. Hood and Hon. J. W. Little—Rocky Point, Pender county, Saturday, October 3rd; Burgaw, Pender county, Monday, October 5th.

Hon. Cameron Morrison—Ashboro, October 5th, noon; Randleman, October 5th, night.

Hon. J. W. Bailey—Durham, Wednesday, October 7th; Greensboro, Thursday, October 8th; Ashboro, Friday, October 9th; Troy, Saturday, October 10; Morganton, Monday, October 12th; Hendersonville, Wednesday, October 14th; Charlotte, Thursday, October 15th; Lincolntop, Friday, October 16th; Albemarle, Saturday, October 17th; Nashville, Wednesday, October 28th; Pittsboro, Thursday, October 29th; Louisburg, Friday, October 30th; Clayton, Saturday, October 31st; Goldsboro, Monday, November 2nd.

In addition to the above further engagements will probably be announced by Chairman Warren soon. Chairman Little, of this county, has been assured that a speaker will be sent to Wilmington some time during this month, and he has also been requested to speak at Southport during the campaign, along with some other well known Democrat.

TO IDENTIFY IMPOSTER.

Mr. Jos. Hinton Leaves for Journey to Sioux City, Iowa.

On Monday, Mr. Jos. H. Hinton, proprietor of The Orton, this city, leaves on a long journey to Sioux City, Iowa, to identify as an imposter a white man representing himself to be J. H. Hinton, proprietor of The Orton, in this city, and who on the strength of being owner and proprietor of perhaps North Carolina's best known hotel, has been able to fleece a number of hotel proprietors out there of several hundred dollars on spurious drafts. One of the hotel proprietors who had cashed a draft for the wrong Mr. Hinton, telegraphed to Wilmington to ascertain if the draft were good and strangely enough the telegram was delivered to Mr. Hinton at The Orton. Strangely enough, Mr. Hinton was quite sure he had not been in Sioux City and the man posing as Mr. Hinton in Salt Lake City, was arrested for passing the forged drafts. He still maintained, however, that he was Mr. Hinton, of Wilmington, and told of building The Orton Hotel, and actually gave evidence of being quite well acquainted around Wilmington. The hotel keepers who were fleeced all told out of $550 in Salt Lake City and Sioux City have wired Mr. Hinton here that the man still persists he is J. H. Hinton, of Wilmington and in order to disprove his story the real Mr. Hinton has been asked to come out there and identify the man as an imposter. Mr. Hinton will leave Monday and his presence is expected to clear up the whole matter.

The man posing as Mr. Hinton in Sioux City is described as being about 60 years of age, weighs 230 pounds, is six feet tall, bow legged, has a Roman nose, scar on the right lip and a bruise on each side of his nose where his nose glasses have rested. All of which in not even the minutest detail does not correspond with a description of the real Joe Hinton, of Wilmington, N. C.

CORONER'S JURY MEETS TODAY.

Will Resume Investigation of Death of Mr. T. L. Moore, of Burgaw.

The coroner's jury investigating the death of Mr. T. L. Moore, of Burgaw, whose body was found floating in Smith's Creek last Sunday morning, will re-convene this morning at 10 o'clock for another session. The jury held two sessions Monday and Tuesday, and then adjourned until today.

So far as is known the mystery still enfolds the tragedy surrounding the death of the Burgaw man, who left his home nearly a week before his body was found, to go on a fishing trip with friends to Hampstead. At the time he left home his wife is reported to have stated that he had $32 on his person. When his body was discovered, no money was found on his person, not even an empty purse. The testimony before the coroner's jury established that death was brought about by strangulation, and murder for robbery is the theory held by most of those familiar with the case.

DOKIES TO MEET.

D. O. K. K. to Assemble in Asheville in Great Numbers on Oct. 7th.

Local Fythians, and especially those who belong to the Dramatic Order, Knights of Khorassan, have received copies of "The Night Before the Morning After," the official publication of the Dokie's in this State, giving the programme and all the other necessary information in regard to the big meeting in Asheville on October 7th, and it is not unlikely that a number of members from this section of the State will attend.

Suez Temple, of Charlotte, is preparing to attend in numbers and a special car will be at their disposal over the Southern in that city on the morning of the assembling of the patrol for the moe on the mountain heights. It is announced that the class of "fresh meat" will number between 60 and 70 and the cruel Arabs are assembling for the feast. One of the features of the Asheville meeting will be the presence of Alexander's Rag Time Band, under the baton of Prof. Harvey Mohammed Alexander.

N. C. SOROSIS ENDORSES PLAN

Will Advocate the Wear-Cotton Movement—First Fall Meeting Yesterday Well Attended.

North Carolina Sorosis, at the first meeting of the club year, held yesterday afternoon in the Sorosis Home on North Third street, heartily endorsed the movement urging the women of America to make more use of cotton cloth for clothing, and decided to do everything in its power to advocate and strengthen the crusade. With this idea in view it was decided to offer a handsome prize for the most attractive dress made from cotton goods manufactured in Wilmington and exhibited at the Corn Show to be held here in November.

The meeting yesterday afternoon was largely attended and much interest was manifested in the work of the club for the approaching season. Plans for a number of important activities for the club were discussed, and reports from the officers as to the work during the past summer were received with interest.

The report of the Travelers' Aid Work at the Union station, carried on under the auspices of Sorosis, was especially interesting, and the members feel that much good has been accomplished by the Travelers' Aid organization.

The members were delighted with the work of the house committee in connection with the improvement of the Sorosis building, and the success that has been achieved in renting a number of the apartments in the building which are not needed by the club in its work. A gift of a complete set of window shades for the building from Miss Lizzie Waddell, and a gift of five handsome pictures from Mrs. Eugene Maffitt were reported by the House Committee. Many of the members expressed their appreciation of these gifts.

During the discussion of the wear-cotton movement and the suggestion that a prize be offered for the most attractive dress made from cotton goods manufactured in Wilmington, members of the club explained that many times they have attempted to purchase in the local stores, cotton cloth manufactured at the Wilmington mills, only to find that the merchants do not carry it in stock. It was the sense of the meetin that the club do everything in its power to urge the local merchants to carry in stock goods manufactured here, not only in the local cotton mills, but in every other local industry.

Report was made that Sorosis had purchased the exclusive agency in this district for the sale of a very handsome line of pictures etched on Japanese silk, which are especialy appropriate as wedding gifts, Christmas gifts, etc. The pictures, with mat, ready for mounting, sell for $1 each. The proceeds from the sale of these pictures will go to the club house fund.

The secretary was instructed to write a letter to the Masonic lodges here, expressing the thanks of Sorosis for the use of the quarters in the Masonic Temple for a meeting place for the past two years.

Report was made that Mr. J. P. Herring, the county farm demonstrator, had reported that the tomato club work during the summer had gone forward satisfactorily, an instructor having been engaged to teach the art of canning. Sorosis authorized the payment of its contribution to this work, pledged last spring.

Plans for the floral fair to be given in connection with the Corn Show in November were discussed at length, and the members of Sorosis expect a most attractive exhibit. Committee chairmen to have charge of the different departments of the fair were appointed as follows:

Needle Work—Mrs. J. T. Schonwald.
Flowers—Mrs. L. B. Sasser.
Domestic Science—Mrs. C. H. Fore.
Country Store—Mrs. W. A. French.
Lunches—Mrs. L. B. Potter.
Fancy Work Table—Mrs. M. H. Shepherd.

The Recorder's Court.

In the Recorder's Court yesterday cases against Jim Johnson and Luther Ray, colored, charged with an affray, were dismissed. Alex Merrick, colored, charged with forcible trespass, was found not guilty. A nol pros was taked in a case against Jim Carvin, colored, charged with violating a traffic ordinance. Bosie Rogers, colored, charged with larceny, was found to be the wrong man, and was released. Cases against Geo. Daniels and Dolan Alther, white, charged with assault with a deadly weapon, were continued because of the condition of Alther, who is in the hospital.

RECEIVERS' NOTICE.

The undersigned receivers of the Buell Cracker Lumber Co., hereby notify creditors of said company that they are requested to file their claims with the undersigned receivers, Burgaw, N. C., on or before the first day of November 1914, as provided by the order of the judge of the Superior Court pertaining to such matters. If claims are not filed on or before the first day of November 1914, this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

P. M. JOBSON,
JAY H. BUELL,
Receivers.

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912	Princess St., 7 rooms	20.00
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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. K. C. Denny, of Rook's, were among the guests yesterday at The Orton.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Ruark, of Southport, were here yesterday, guests at The Orton.

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Miss Cynthia Hedrick, of Florida, is visiting in the city and is a guest of Miss Lillie Taylor, on Front street.

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Mr. R. A. King, formerly of this city and now traveling out of New York, is spending the week end with his relatives here.

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Mrs. Preston L. Bridgers, who has been spending the summer away from Wilmington, has returned to the city and is a guest at the Orton.

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Wallace, N. C., Oct. 1.—The ladies of the Betterment Association would like to give notice to the public that owing to financial depression they think it inadvisable to hold the county fair which they had planned for October, 1914.

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After spending a very pleasant vacation at her home at Connelsville, Pa., Miss Rosamond Minnis, superintendent of nurses at the James Walker Memorial Hospital, has returned to her duties at the institution.

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Many friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. Theodore Runge, who have both recently undergone operations for appendicitis at Harper's Sanitarium, will be delighted to know that they are improving nicely and will be out again at no very distant date.

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All organizations of St. John's Parish conducted by women, both porishioue and missionary, will meet in the parish house this afternoon at 4 o'clock. Every woman in the parish, whether a member of any organization or not, is invited to attend the meeting

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Washington, Oct. 1.—Secretary and Mrs. Bryan today celebrated their 30th anniversary of their marriage. Mrs. Bryan called at the State Department and took the Secretary to lunch and for a trip through the National Museum.

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Mrs. J. O. Carr and children and Miss Theresa Parsley, who have been spending several weeks at Lincolnton, N. C., and at Weaverville, in the mountains of North Carolina, returned last evening to their home in this city.

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Miss Helen Bearing, of Savannah, Ga., who has been the attractive guest of Mrs. Geo. Cotchett at Wrightsville Beach and the Carolina Apartments, left yesterday morning for her home. Miss Bearing made a host of friends while here, all of whom will look forward with pleasure to the time when she will again visit Wilmington.

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At a meeting of Grace Epworth Methodist League this evening the organization will have the real pleasure of hearing Mr. W. B. Cooper relate some of his interesting experiences while in Europe at the outbreak of the war. All League members and the public generally are cordially invited to attend this meeting which will be held in Grace Church Lecture Room at 8 P. M.

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The Christian Endeavor Society of the First Presbyterian Church will hold its regular monthly business and social meeting in the church parlors this evening at 8 o'clock. Every member is urgently requested to be present, as the annual election of officers will take place. In addition to the other social features, Miss Anna B. Telford, formerly of Lewisburg, W. Va., a talented violinist, will render several selections on the violin.

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Warsaw, N. C., Oct. 1.—The beautiful veranda of the Warsaw Inn was unusually attractive on last Thursday afternoon, when Mrs. R. S. Flowers entertained a large number of her friends at progressive rook. Five tables were arranged beneath the luxuriant vines, which so prettily cover the south side of the veranda. The score cards were tastefully hand painted, the silver ship on the green ocean making a very attractive souvenir. Mrs. John Carter, making the highest score was awarded the prize, a beautiful hand made center piece. Miss Ella Brown and Mrs. A. B. Anderson assisted the hostess in serving a dainty salad course, which was served in green peppers, and limeade, which also helped carry out the color scheme of green and white.

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RECEPTION AT THE Y. W. C. A. THIS EVENING.

A most pleasant event this evening will be the reception at the Y. W. C. A. from 8 to 11 o'clock, the occasion being the fall rally of the organization, to which the public is most cordially invited. A delightful programme of music and recitations will be carried out, and other entertainment features have been provided. Miss Troutt, the new secretary, will be on hand to assist the officers and directors of the Association in receiving and entertaining their guests.

All young ladies who intend to take advantage of the educational courses offered by the Association are urged to attend this evening and register for the classes they desire to enter.

All members and friends, as well as the general public, are also cordially invited and urged to be present, a pleasant evening being assured all.

PROSPECT FOR ANOTHER LINE

Baltimore & Carolina Steamship Co. May Make Wilmington Port of Call—Manager Here.

For the purpose of conferring with officials of the Fidelity Trust & Development Company and other local business men, relative to Wilmington being made a port of call by his company, Mr. Mason L. Weems Williams, general manager of the Baltimore & Carolina Steamship Company was in the city yesterday. A conference was held at the office of the Fidelity Trust & Development Company yesterday afternoon, and announcement was made after the meeting by one of the officials of the Fidelity that Mr. Williams had received the proposition of the Fidelity Trust & Development Company, relative to the use by his company of the warehouse owned by that corporation and recently vacated by the Clyde Steamship Company, very favorably, and had taken it under consideration, with the statement that a decision would be reached within a few days.

It was stated that in the event the Baltimore & Carolina Steamship Company decides to make Wilmington a port of call, weekly stops would be made. The company now operates a line from Baltimore to Georgetown, S. C., and Wilmington would be made a regular port on this run.

The Baltimore & Carolina people have been anxious to send their steamers to Wilmington for some time, and the local business men have been equally anxious for steamship facilities between here and Baltimore, but the lack of suitable terminal facilities in the past has been an obstacle to any satisfactory arrangement being reached.

The wharf and warehouse owned by the Fidelity, and used for years by the Clyde Line, offer a splendid location for the Baltimore Company's terminals, and it will be hoped that favorable action will be taken by the company.

METEOROLOGICAL SUMMARY.

Interesting Data as to the Weather in Wilmington in September.

The Weather Bureau has just issued its monthly summary of meteorological data for September just ended and a number of interesting facts are shown. The highest temperatufe was 92 degrees on the 8th and the lowest 50 degrees on the 29th. The greatest daily range was 24 degrees on the 27th. The least daily range was 11 degrees on the 16th. The mean for the months was 71 which is from one to seven degrees lower than for several years. The normal for the month was 73.1. The total precipitation for the month was 5.39 inches as compared with 3.54 last year, 4.14 in 1912, and 5.79 in 1911. The normal for the month would have been 5.27. The prevailing direction of the wind was northeast. The number of clear days in the month was 13, partly cloudy 10 and cloudy 7. The total hours of sunshine for the month was 251.1 out of a possible 371.4.

Change in Telegraph Office.

Mr. John Schinberger, manager of the Western Union here, and Mr. J. S. Pryce, cashier for the Southern Bell Telephone & Telegraph Co., at Wilmington, went to Southport Wednesday and superintended the removal of the Western Union office there from the Southern Bell's office to the W. B. & S. Railroad Company's building. Mr. H. E. Goodwin, traffic manager of the Wilmington, Brunswick & Southern, will be the Western Union agent at Southport.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Capt. N. C. Church, of New York, is a guest at The Orton.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Trowbridge, of Boardman, are guests at The Orton.

—Mr. C. E. George, of Southport, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

—Mr. J. N. McNair, of Charlotte, was among yesterday's guests at The Orton.

—Mr. R. A. Meares, of Ridgeway, S. C., was a guest at the Wilmington Hotel yesterday.

—Mr. C. W. Williams, of Greenville, S. C., was among yesterday's gutsts at The Orton.

—Mr. O. T. Carver, of Durham, N. C., general manager of the Duke Improvement Co., is a guest at The Orton.

—Mr. Geo. W. Pettigill, Mr. C. J. Becker, and Mr. J. S. Raymond, officials of the Clyde Line, are guests at The Orton.

—Mr. Mason L. Weems Williams and H. S. Beale, of the Baltimore and Carolina Steamship Co., are guests at The Orton.

—Mr. Lester R. Hummell, of the James & James Co., Inc., has returned from Goldsboro, where he spent some days quite pleasantly at his former home.

—Captain Seth E. Jones, connected with the government work at King's Bluff, was in the city yesterday on his way to Swannsboro, his old home, where he will spend his vacation.

—The hour for the appointment of Hon. Geo. E. Hood and Mr. J. W. Little to speak at Rocky Point on Saturday afternoon is 3:30 o'clock and not 8 P. M., as was erroneously announced yesterday morning.

—J. O. Carr, Esq., returned yesterday evening from Burgaw where he spent the day on legal business with Judge Oliver H. Allen, who is holding a civil term of Superior Court there this week.

—Editor F. R. Putnam, of the Columbus News-Reporter at Whiteville, is spending a day or two in the city on a business trip. He is giving the people of Columbus a splendid county newspaper and as secretary of the Commercial Club, of his town, he is moving himself a most valuable citizen.

—The $200 bond forfeited by Ben Cottle, the young white druggist, when he failed to appear when his case was called in Justice Harriss' court Wednesday, on a charge of violating the prohibition law, was turned over yesterday to the county by Justice Harriss. County Auditor John A. Orrell receipted for the money.

—Among the visiting lawyers at Burgaw for Superior Court there this week are T. W. Davis, C. D. Weeks, W. P. Stacy, Esq., and ex-Judge E. K. Bryan, of the Wilmington bar, and Col. John D. Kerr, of Clinton. The court has been engaged practically all the week in the trial of a personal injury suit entitled Herring vs Atlantic Coast Line Railroad.

BIDS FOR BOAT.

Proposals For Furnishing Government With Motor Vessel.

Proposals for furnishing the United States Engineering department with a large motor boat for use in connection with the government work on the harbor of refuge at Cape Lookout were opened Monday in the office of Maj. H. W. Stilckle, U. S. District Engineer, and have been forwarded to Washington with the recommendations of the local officer.

Ten bids were received, that of the John F. Bell Company, of Morehead City, N. C., at $9,449.06 being the lowest. This was the only bid under $10,000, the others ranging as high as $19,893.

—Dr. John C. Wessell has removed his office to the handsome new Murchison Bank Building, Room 203, second floor, where he is most pleasantly and comfortably situated.

OPEN HOUSE RECEPTION

Formal Opening of Boys' Brigade Last Night Was Delightful Affair—Music and Addresses.

The "open house reception" at the Boys' Brigade last evening from 8:30 to 11 o'clock was a delightful affair and was attended by several hundred people of the city. The occasion was the formal opening of this popular and well known institution for boys and young men for the ensuing season. These affairs have come to be looked forward to with much pleasure by hundreds of people in Wilmington, not simply because of the pleasure of the occasion, but because of the important part that the Brigade has played in the life of the young men of the city.

Col .Walker Taylor, founder and commander of the Boys' Brigade and Mr. Charles Dushan, the popular director, assisted by the members of the social committee were on hand to give each and every visitor a cordial welcome. From long experience they know how to make people feel at home and they certainly succeeded in living up to their reputation last evening.

Inspiring and helpful addresses were made by Colonel Taylor and Rev. G. T. Adams, pastor of Fifth Street Methodist church. Sandwiched in between the two addresses was a most enjoyable musical programme in which several of the best known musicians of Wilmington participated. To say that the music was splendid does it scant justice; it was superb and worthy of the hightest praise. The audience showed their appreciation by frequent applause.

In his own well known informal style without pretense or airs, Colonel Taylor welcomed the visitors to the reception in a short address in which he paid a noble tribute to the boys of the Brigade. It was indeed a pleasure, he said, for him to be present on the occasion of the 19th annual opening of the institution. He recalled the date of the founding of the Brigade 19 years ago and told something of its history since that time. He felt that its growth and development has been ordained of God and that He has abundantly blessed the work of the institution.

More than 1,000 youn men have come under the influence of the Brigade in these years, he stated, and almost without a single exception they have become noble men. There a spirit of brotherhood that binds them together and holds up before them high ideals that is indeed striking, he said. He assured the young women present that they would make no mistake in marrying a Brigade man for he is generally "true blue."

Mr. Adams said that he would take the advice of the women who said that if she were a preacher's wife she would tell him daily, "Preach short." While short his address was a masterly summing up of the strong points of the institution. Mr. Adams stated that he considered it one of the most valuable assets of the community. There are three words which aptly sum up the characteristics of a member of the Brigade, he said, and these are integrity, industry and independence.

There are two things he said absolutely necessary to make a complete man are veracity and honesty. With these for a foundation it is yet impossible to live a successful life without industry. It had been his observation, he said, that the Brigade members are men of independence, who do their own thinking and who are fearless in their endeavor to live right.

Colonel Taylor in introducing Mr. Adams said that it was peculiarly fitting that Mr. Adams should speak on this occasion as during the four years that he has lived in Wilmington he has always taken a much interest in the Brigade. Soon, however, according to the rules of his church he must be moved to another location and perhaps would not again have the pleasure of being present on a similar occasoin.

Following is the musical progremme rendered last evening.

Selection from Erminie. . .Jacabouski Orchestra

Violin Solo—Andantino. . . . . Martini-Kreisler Miss Pauline Crumb

Duett-La Sernata.. .. ..Tosti Miss Carrie Bowen—Mr. J. B. Fenly

a. Venetian Love Song . . . .Sevin

b. Fifth Hungarian Danc . . .Brahms Orchestra

Quartette—Blow Bugle, Blow.. .. .. Demarest Miss Carrie Bowen, Soprano; Miss Ruth Bowen, Contralto; Mr. J. B. Fenly, Tenor; Mr. Green Fenly, Basso

Echoes from Metropolitan Opera House Tobani Orchestra

Violin Solo. . . .Mazur. . . .Mlynarski Miss Crumb

Sextette from Lucia. . . . . .Donizetti Quartette and Orcherstra. Accompanist, Mr. E. H. Munson. Clarinetis, Mrs. Julian K. Taylor.

At the close of the exercises delicious refreshments consisting of ice cream and cake was served by the members of the social committee which is composed of Messrs. B. F. Brittain, chairman, Henry Gerdes, J. E. Burriss, H. K. King, Simon Branch, J. C. McAlister, S. Frank Garrison, A. L. Mote, J. T. Russ, E. A. DuRant, J. S. Brittain, Albert Elmer, A. J. Beach, J. A. Price.

MAY BE DEVELOPMENTS TODAY.

Mr. C. E. Greenamyer Had Nothing Further to Say Yesterday.

Reports were current yesterday that Mr. C. E. Greenamyer, who was arrested Tuesday afternoon on advices from Pittsburg, Pa., on a charge of being a fugitive from justice, and who is under $10,000 bond for his appearance before Justice Geo. Harriss next Monday at noon, would make an effort, through his attorneys, to have the time for his hearing here extended a week, in order to go to Pittsburg at once and face the charges against him there.

No such move was made by his attorneys, however, and Mr. Greenamyer, when seen last evening, stated that he was not at liberty to make his plans public, but that he expected important developments, possibly today.

Mr. Greenamyer has expressed for the time of his arrest a willingness to return to Pittsburg and face the charges under which he has been arrested.

—The United States Civil Service Board announces examinations Dec. 1st for lock-masters for service at King's Bluff, on Cape Fear river, one at $55 and one at $54 per month, each with separate quarters unfurnished. Physical ability, training experience and fitness will be the only qualifications required.

WHITE MAN SERIOUSLY CUT

Dolan Alther and George Daniels Have Dispute at Burnett's Garage —Latter in the Hospital.

Dolan Alther, a young white man, acting temporarily as night manager of Burnett's garage, was seriously cut across the abomen and the right forearm by George Daniels, white, a stage hand at the Victoria theatre, yesterday morning 5 o'clock as a result of an affray which took place in the garage. The fight is said to started by George Daniels, who wanted Alther to allow one of his helpers to sleep in the garage.

Immediately after the encounter Alther was rushed to the James Walked Memorial hospital in the police patrol wagon by Policeman W. F. Craig, where he was reported last night as resting as well as could be expected. His conditions is not now considered serious, it is stated.

Policeman Craig also arrested Daniels and he has been lodged in the county jail to await a preliminary hearing. His bond was fixed yesterday by Justice Harriss at $500 which he was unable to give.

Alther and Daniels are said to have first had a fist fight in which the former got the better of it. Alther is then said to have lead Daniels away and to have advised him to go home which, however, he failed to do. In a few minutes, it is stated, he returned and rushed at Alther with a knife in his hand.

Daniels said that at this juncture Alther hit him with a lantern which he had in his hand. After Althern had been cut Daniels ran across Second street with Alther in pursuit. The latter fell to the ground after going a short distance. Policeman Craig arrected Daniels in Purcell alley.

EDUCATIONAL ADDRESS.

W. P. Stacy, Esq., Will Speak at Chadbourn School Tonight.

W. P. Stacy, Esq., Democratic nominee for the State House of Representatives, will go to Chadbourn this afternoon to deliver an educational address in the High School building at that place tonight. This is one of several addresses that will be given by well known public men at Chadbourn under the auspices of the High School. Mr. Stacy is a deep thinker and eloquent speaker and he will be heard with much interest by a host of friends in that section.

Rev. J. S. Crowley, pastor of Immanuel Presbyterian church, spent yesterday in Chadbourn and conducted devotional exercises at the opening of the school yesterday morning. He returned to the city yesterday afternoon.

DUTCH SUPPER TOMORROW EVE

Union Men to Banquet in Woolvin Hall —Large Attendance Expected

Members of the local unions are looking forward with keen anticipation to the dutch supper to be served in Woolvin hall tomorrow evening, beginning at 8 o'clock. The committee in charge has made elaborate arrangements for the occasion, and a large attendnce of union men is expected.

A bounteous spred of refreshments will be provided, and also smaking material. There will be a number of short talks by different labor leaders, and other informal features which are expected to add to the pleasure of the evening.

Real Estate Transfers.

Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: W. H. Bryant and wife to J. L. Bolton, for $2,820, lot No. 7, in Block 15, Carolina Place; R. L. Fox and wife to R. S. McKeithan and wife, for $150 and other considerations, lot in East Wilmington, on Henry street, 50x100 feet in size; Manhattan Company to Jesse S. Williams and wife, for $10 and other considerations, lot on east line of 15th street, 99 feet south of Orange, 33x132 feet in size.

LOCAL DOTS

—Justice Harriss yesterday dismissed a case against Mrs. E. M. Gary, charged with larceny, and taxed Mr. Frank Brown, the prosecutor, with the costs, the action being adjudged frivolous and malicious.

—The British steamer Kylestrome, 2,105 tons, Captain Muir, master, arrived yesterday afternoon at 6 o'clock from Glasgow, Scotland, with mixed cargo for several ports on the South Atlantic coast. Her final destination in America is Mobile. The part cargo for Wilmington is consigned to Henry Whyte, agent. This is the first foreign vessel to arrive in Wilmington in several weeks.

Call Off City Championship Series.

Owing to the absence of some of the players and also because the football season now being on, in which many players wish to participate, it is announced that the series for the city championship in baseball has been called off. Next year the City League and the Independent League hope to finish their regular schedule of games in time to have the series for the championship before the football season begins.

A. & M. ALUMNI ATTEND AN INFORMAL SMOKER

Five Hundred Expected by Today to Attend Anniversary Celebration.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 1.—Two hundred and twenty-five alumni of the Agricultural and Mechanical college attended the informal smoker given in the Y. M. C. A. building tonight. John A. Park, of Raleigh, presided over the meeting and the college quartette furnished music.

The occasion was a glad one for all present, the history and past achievements of the college being recited by the high standing taken by graduates. Dr. Tait Butler, a former member of the faculty, W. G. Faucett, chief engineer of the Seaboard Railway, members of the faculty alumni and members of the student body responded.

Others are arriving on every train and by tomorow it is expected that the attendance will reach five hunderd.

Respected Colored Citizen Dead.

Henry McPherson, a well known and highly respected colored citizen, died yesterday morning following a short illness. He was for 40 years a trusted servant of Mr. R. E. Heide. He was a prominent member of St. Mark's P. E. church. He lived on Bladen street.

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Special meeting this (Friday) evening at 8 o'clock, for work in the F. C. degree. You are requested to attend. Visiting brethren cordially invited. By order of the W. M.

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ORGANIZED LABOR

All members of Local Unions are requested to join with the Wilmington Trades Council, and participate in their Annual Smoker, to be held at Woolvin's Hall, on Princess Street, Saturday night, Oct. 3, at 8 o'clock.

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THEATRICAL

The jester's tinkling staff and merry jingle, with the sinuous dancing girls has since the days of that of prehistoric times that even antedate the theatre, been the favorite amusement of mankind.

Musical comedy is the one standard attraction that always pleases. The only question is which musical comedy show is the one to see. If one might judge by reports that reach us of the wonderful reception everywhere given "The Dingbat Family," and the record-breaking business that it is doing all along its route, there would seem but one answer to this question series, will make its local bow here at the Academy, Saturday matinee and night with an exceptionally large and capable company and a large chorus.

Good Bill at Victoria.

The mid-week change of show that opened yesterday at the Victoria Theatre and scheduled to run for the remainder of the week is a dandy one. It is made up of perfect vaudeville gems, of most delightful and wholesome nature and was given a big reception upon its debut yesterday. Each act is clever, but the headliners are provided by Miller, DeVay and Prince, in a rousing acrobatic act, in which is introduced the champion acrobatic canine of the world, and the Piere Pelletier Company, offering a regular tabloid dramatic performance in "The 10-40 West". It is a regular play, of novel type, with a heart-gripping plot, and is well acted by the well known actor, Piere Pelletier and supporting artists. There is also a clever magician on the bill in Wallace Galvin, who does some exceptional things with cards and presents an egg trick that is a howl for laughter. There is yet another fine act in Miss Mabel Johnson and her wooden-headed friend. She is exceedingly clever and won thunderous applause from each audience. Of course, the Victoria is also giving two reels of moving pictures, thus affording two shows in one, and the swell orchestra is right on the job with some superb new numbers.

The children should certainly be taken to the matinee at the Victoria.

Paramount Again Today.

A big success was the Grand's inauguration yesterday of the famous Paramount Pictures, which this up-to-the-second theatre has made arrangements to present in Wilmington, holding the exclusive rights for such. By this means the people of this city will behold the greatest New York dramatic and comedy success, played by noted artists, for the small price of 5 and 10 cents. The picture selected to start the ball rolling was "The Lost Paradise," which is offered by Mr. Daniel Frohman, and it was a wise selection. The film—in five big reels—made a great hit, and the large audiences showered praise alike on the film and the enterprise of the Grand. "The Lost Paradise" is a powerful play of a struggle between capital and labor, and is magnificently mounted as to stage settings, while the cast is a superb one. It was just like witnessing the real Broadway production, save for the voices. However, absence of the latter was not at all noticeable, so vivid and perfect is the moving picture presentation. This great Paramount feature will be offered again today, so as to give all ample chance to see it, and those who missed it yesterday should certainly be at the Grand either this afternoon or tonight. It is a rare dramatic treat for small money.

Big Feature at Bijou.

Today the popular-priced and also popular movie theatre will present something that has never before been seen in Wilmington, something that will cause Wilmintonians to sit up and "take notice" of the progressiveness of the Bijou management, who have made it possible for them to witness the greatest, and absolutely the newest movies, while they really are new, and presenting them at the lowest price during these war times.

Today's big feature is entitled "The Curse of Caste", and is a Mutual Movie—the kind that "make time fly". It's a tragedy and a romance of old Japan, and the singular part about it is that the leading roles in this mammoth production are taken by real Japanese screen stars. They are Sessue Hayakawa, Tsuru Aoki and Thomas Kurihara, in the three leads. This is one of the strangest stories you have ever witnessed on the screen, and is thrilling and dramatic to the extreme. It tells a story of love and romance that is seldom equalled in American life.

There comes next a picture that many may think should have been played at the top. For it's a mammoth two-reel Imp special release drama, "The Man Who Was Misunderstood," and seen in the title role is popular King Baggot. This is one of those deep dramas in which Baggot is at his best, and will no doubt create a sensation today. Then there's a fifth reel in "The Scarecrow and the Chaperone" a Universal Ike comedy.

DANIELS CONFERS WITH NAVAL GENERAL BOARD.

Over Estimates for Next Fiscal Year. Shipbuilding Programme.

Washington, Oct. 1.—Secretary Daniels today conferred with the Naval General Board over estimates for the next fiscal year. Later it was said the board had not yet decided how many battleships it will recommend for construction next year.

President Wilson has let it be known that in view of curtailed revenues and the necessity of a war tax, there should be no increases in departmental estimates.

Last year Secretary Daniels concurred in the recommendation of the naval board that four battleships and their accompanying complement of destroyers and auxiliaries be built. Congress provided for two battleships.

It has been suggested that if there is a general demand for a big building programme, it may be met by cutting down shore expenses, in line with Secretary Daniels' present policy.

FISH WERE SPOILED.

And Several Families Are Ill With Poisoning—Report from Pinetops.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wilson, N. C., Oct. 1.—Telephonic reports received this morning tell of serious illness in the families of George Whitehead and Jordan Williams near Elm City, caused by eating salt mullets.

The fish were freshly purchased from the store of Mr. Whitehead, one of those whose family is ill. Every member of the two families has ptomaine poisoning and the physicians in attendance state this morning that while the patients seem to be out of danger, they are still seriously ill.

Similar reports from Pinetops, a country village, state that eight or ten families are ill with the same trouble and from the same cause. These cases are in addition to those reported Sunday.

It was Mr. J. G. Anderson, president of the Rock Hill Buggy Company, who, in 1912, when the country went wild over "reduction in acreage," originated what became known as "The Rock Hill Plan." There were resolutions and pledges by the car load. The average reduction agreed to in writing amounted to as much as 16 1-2 per cent. It happened that there was a late spring, and each farmer, taking it for granted that the other fellow was going to reduce, put in cotton up to the back yards. But for the late season it is probable that the acreage in that promised year of reduction would have been the biggest the South had known. The point is, as set forth in the circular letter this firm has sent out in the hope of securing the needed reform for the coming crop, that promises and pledges do not count. Mr. Anderson is right in the contention that the warehousing of cotton is the only practical step in the solution of the prevailing situation, and that a reduction in acreage is to be the salvation of the South next year, if there is to be any salvation. All the plans for relief at this time are simmering down to what The Observer has declared to be the only practical one—co-operation between the banker and the farmer in the direction of putting the cotton in the warehouse and realizing present needs on the warehouse certificate.—Charlotte Observer.

Garcia's Method.

Mesdames Viardot-Garcia and Malibran, the wonderful daughters of Manuel Garcia, who was perhaps the greatest vocal teacher of all time, literally "learned in suffering what they taught in song."

The discipline of the Garcia home was extremely severe. According to Henry T. Finck, who writes in the Musician, it was said that he used to beat his unfortunate daughters till they screamed.

The neighbors, however, did not confuse methods with madness, and on such occasions they quaintly said, "It is only M. Garcia teaching his girls to sing."

COLORED BETTER BABIES.

Big Health Contest at State Fair First of Its Kind.

(State Board of Health.)

A colored Better Babies Contest? Think of it! Hundreds of little colored babies of all sizes, kinds and descriptions at the Colored State Fair the last week of October. Hardly had the first of the white Beter Babies Contest passed last year before several of the enterprising colored people began to ask how they might have a colored Better Babies Constet, but the times was too short for sluch a thing then, and it had to be put off until this year.

The colored people mean to have a sure enough Contest this year. They have already arranged with the State Board of Health to leave all the paraphernalia and equipment from the white Better Babies Contest over for the use of the colored babies. They have arranged with the Woman's Home Companion to award gold and bronze medeals and diplomas to all prize-winning babies, and certificates of award to all babies entering.

As in the case of the white Better Babies Contest, there will be none of the old tim fancy dress, pressty lace or beauty show about the Contest. The hundreds of colored babies will be weighed, measured and evamined, point by point, by colored doctors and trained nurses, to see how they correspond with standing weights and measures of babies for that age. These weights and measurements and all other points will be carefully recorded on score cards, and each baby will receive a score, mark or grade.

Where any physical defeat of any kind is found, it will be pointed out to the parent and the means of remedying it explained.

Only babies between the ages of six and forty-eight months may be entered. No charge whatever will be made for entering. All that is necessary is to address Maggie L. Capehart, 310 East Davie Street, Raleigh, stating the name and age of the baby and the date at which it is expected to attend the Fair. Upon receipt of this information, an application card will be issued, which will admit the baby

Several business men of Clinton have suggested that a very great addition could be made to Sampson county's industries in the shape of a flour mill. The Democrat heartily seconds this suggestion. It is a well known fact that the more of his home supplies a farmer can raise the better off he is. Elsewhere in North Carolina a large number of farmers raise their wheat, and have their own flour ground. Their experience is that this is cheaper to them than planting a money crop on the land and buying their flour. There is no reason why the same thing would not be true in Sampson county. We have land just as good as there is anywhere in North Carolina or any other place, and it has already been shown that we can grow wheat on it. In fact there are already several farmers in this county that do grow their own wheat and have it ground into flour, but they have to carry it all the way to Fayetteville to have their grinding done.—Clinton Democrat.

TREATY BETWEEN RUSSIA AND UNITED STATES SIGNED.

Twenty-Seventh of the Bryan Brand of Peace Pacts.

Washington, Oct. 1.—Secretary Bryan for the United States, and Ambassador Bakhmetieff, for Russia, today signed a treaty binding the two nations to submit all disputes that cannot be settled diplomatically to an international commission of five members for investigation during a period of at least one year, during which hostilities may not be commenced.

This is the 27th of the so-called investigation treaties. Similar pacts have been signed by the United States and Great Britain and France. No treaty of any kind has existed between the United States and Russia since President Taft abrogated the commercial treaty of 1832.

NO CHANGE OF VENUE.

Roosevelt Can Get Fair Trial in Albany County, Says Justice.

Albany, N. Y., Oct. 1.—Justice Chester, of the Supreme Court of the United States, today dismissed the application for a change of venue made by counsel for Theodore Roosevelt, against whom a suit for libel has been brought by William Barnes, chairman of the Republican state committee. Justice Chester held that Col. Roosevelt could obtain a fair trial in Albany county. Chairman Barnes sued for $50,000 damages.

Savannah, Oct. 1.—The British steamer Concord, sailing yesterday for Liverpool, went ashore between Tybee light and Quarantine last night, but after resting there a few hours floated and proceeded to sea. She was undamaged.

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STATEMENT BY MR. CHADBOURN

I had hoped that it would not be necessary for me to get into the "Lime-light" any more in the effort of the Wilmington-Carolina Beach Railway to secure rights over certain streets which are necessary for it to have in the laudable project of developing the Southern end of New Hanover County an undertaking which has been a vision of farseeing men for a generation.

With a whole lot of other extraneous matter that has been injected into this discussion the Tide Water Power Company sees fit to question the propriety of my connection with Development Companies. My business is manufacturing and selling Lumber and it takes all of my time and energy to do it. I think the public will admit that I throw no time away and leave no stone unturned if there is a chance under it to dispose of the commodity that I produce. Every Real Estate development means houses. Every house means Lumber. I sell Lumber. The more closely I am identified with developments the better my opportunity to dispose of my product; therefore, I am today President of three Real Estate Development Companies, own another one outright, have bought property in several others, and am a Director in two Building Associations and openly admit that my prime object is to further the ends of my basic business, and I have no reason to apologize for nor regret my affiliations in this respect.

It is hardly necessary to point out to an intelligent public, who has probably been surfeited with the kind of intellectual diet that has been served to them, that neither politics nor personalities, Aesop's Fables nor animosities, "influences" nor innuendoes, have any bearing whatever on the question. To celar the atmosphere I give below just exactly what we are trying to do, and it is for the voters to say whether or not we shall secure the city rights which we are advised by the financial powers behind us are absolutely necessary for the successful culmination of our plans.

We are trying to build a railroad from this city through Carolina Beach to Wilmington Beach, and ultimately to Fort Fisher Sea Beach, Fort Fisher and Smith's Island. We have in mind the prospect of Summer and Winter Resorts, Truck Farms, Vineyards and Orchards.

We believe that in a few years the inland waterway will cross the Peninsula at some point between Wilmington and Carolina Beach.

We believe that in a few years the U. S. government will establish a National Park at Fort Fisher itself.

We believe that Smith's Island possesses the finest natural advantages of any place North of Florida, is closer to New York by water and by means of this proposed road would be about eighteen hours distant from New York by rail.

We are trying to provide Beach lots for men of moderate resources at reasonable prices and on easy terms, a pleasure which they can obtain in no other way and at no other place.

The people through whose land we propose to go have shown their realization of the importance of it by donating to us one-fifth of their holdings.

We are not trying to do all this solely for the good of the people. That is an effect, not a cause. We are not in business for our health. Very few corporations or individuals are. We bought our land at a low price and expect to make a good profit out of it. Very few corporations or individuals do otherwise. But we expect to give every customer the worth of his money.

We have no quarrel with nor antagonism against any existing Company. As a matter of fact, we believe that our proposition, if successfully terminated, will be a benefit to every Corporation and every individual in this community, by reason of the new people we expect to bring here.

If the people want these things they must vote for the Franchise. If they do not, they may express that wish also by the ballot.

All we ask is that each voter gives his intelligent consideration to the proposition and cast his ballot which ever way he conceives to be to the best interest of the community, with no thought in his mind of fear or favor.

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French Dueling Methods.

Many of the duels in France end without bloodshed. When the offense is not very serious it is agreed beforehand that the words of command shall be given so rapidly that the duelists will not have time to take good aim. Sometimes three shots are exchanged without a hit, and then the seconds step in and "honor is satisfied." At the word "Fire!" the pistol is raised instantly, and it must be discharged not later than the word "Three!" so the speed with which these words are given regulates the time in which it is possible to take aim. Therefore the speed with which they are spoken is agreed on beforehand, this depending upon the seriousness of the duel. The words are timed with a metronome. If the encounter be very serious this is set at the lowest speed, eighty beats a minute, which gives time for taking accurate aim. A speed of 140 beats a minute allows no time for aiming, and, therefore, is used when seconds think the duel should be made as little dangerous as possible.—Philadelphia Record.

Sensation of Drowning.

This is how a correspondent of the Pall Mall Gazette describes the escape from drowning:

"I and a party of friends had rowed far out into the bay. We all plunged into the sea and swam about. I went farther than my friends, and I imagine I got tired. I went deep down and came up again, and I remember the look of the sky. Then I went down again, and I distinctly heard a sound of most lovely singing. I imagine this was from my ears. I had not the very slightest feeling of suffocation or fear. Only I thought that my husband, who was not with us, would be so grieved. The music became louder and more beautiful, and I saw a dazzling light. The next thing I felt was agony. My friends had missed me, and as I came up for the last time they saw my head. I was hauled into the boat, and then came indescribable agony as I was brought back to life. The lungs filling again was torture."

You're Being Talked About.

We do not wish to alarm you unduly, but do you know that you are being criticised? It may be that you do not care, either because you are so abandoned and so bent upon an evil course as to be lost to all sense of shame or because you are so immaculately virtuous as to leave not a single vulnerable point of attack for the slanderous tongue. The fact remains that uncomplimentary things are being said about you, things that do not at all agree with your estimate of yourself. Not one of your friends but objects to something about you. Maybe you do care. If so we are sorry for you, because you cannot stop it. It would be a good thing for you to mend your ways, but don't expect to stop the talk in that way. Figure your life out the very best way you can and then expect your neighbors and friends to disapprove in all possible combinations and permutations.—Life.

Early Earrings.

The earring is not a modern invention, for more than twenty centuries ago the daughter of Aristotle wore golden hoops. The philosopher's daughter's earrings were found in her tomb near Chalcis, in Euboea, by exploring archaeologists, and certainly modern workmanship cannot produce their equal. In each golden hoop swung a tiny dove, with precious stones for eyes and bands of minute gems to give the color of the iridescent breast and wings. The feathers were of granulated gold, and the tail feathers were so marvelously wrought and adjusted that they acted like a balance, as in a living bird, so that the exquisite miniature creatures whenever the wearer moved or laughed or tossed her head would move and balance themselves upon their pendent perches.

Message of the Telephone.

There is nothing in the sound of the shrill little telephone bell to warn us of the import of its message. More's the pity. It may be that bore whose telephone conversation begins: "Well, what do you know today?" It may be your lawyer to say you've inherited a million. Hence the arrogance of the instrument. It knows its voice will never willfully go unanswered so long as the element of chance lies concealed within it.—American Magazine.

Corn in Kansas.

The earliest mention of corn in Kansas is found in the account of Coronado's expedition in 1541-2. Professor Williston found charred corn in the ruins of prehistoric Indian pueblos in Scott county, estimated by him to be at least two and a half centuries old.

How It Was Managed.

"Did you do as I told you, Willie," inquired the mother, "and not ask Mrs. Winters for pie a second time?"

"Yes'm," said Willie proudly. "I didn't have to ask more than once; I got the first piece without asking."—Ladies' Home Journal.

Good Practice.

Dr. Busier—How is your practice? Dr. Grassler—First rate; it couldn't be better. I had more than 1,200 patients last year and didn't lose a single cent.—Toledo Blade.

Incomplete Information.

"We are now exactly a thousand feet above the level of the sea."

"What sea?"

"The guidebook doesn't say."—Bon Vivant.

Beyond his power the bravest cannot fight.—Homer.

Read Star Business Locals.

BLUES ARE LEADING THE REDS

Y. M. C. A. Membership Campaign on in Earnest Now—Supper This Evening at 6:30 O'clock.

With the Blues well in the lead, and the Reds fighting desperately to overcome this, the Y. M. C. A. "change of heart" membership campaign will be on again in earnest today, and the results to be reported at the supper this evening at 6:30 o'clock are expected to show a substantial gain in the number of renewed memberships and new members.

The Blues, headed by Captain J. Laurence Sprunt, took the lead yesterday when the results were reported at the supper served to the campaign workers in the Association building at 6:30 last evening, reporting a total score of 422, as against a total of 324 1-2 for the Reds. The supper was largely attended, and the enthusiasm was marked to a degree.

Mr. W. A. McGirt, who is leading all the forces in the membership campaign, delivered a few stirring remarks on the fight that had the effect of adding to the determination of each side to turn in the largest score at the end of today, and fine results are anticipated.

The Blues yesterday reported scores for the different teams as follows: Capt. Newton Fisher, 282; J. D. Perry, 20; Geo. Mitchell, 102; Wm. Struthers, 18, a total of 422.

For the Reds, headed by Mr. D. C. North, the different captains turned in the following scores: W. L. Hellen, 12; W. F. Toms, 20; "Happy" Lewis, 44; M. J. Cowell, 177 1-2; M. T. Y. McManus, 12; J. W. Hollis, 42; L. F. DuVal, 17, a total of 342 1-2.

The teams will report the results of their efforts today at a lunch to be served at 6:30 o'clock this evening, and the Reds promise that the standing at this time will be considerably altered in their favor. A prominent local man will be present to deliver a short talk to the workers in the campaign.

Thus far about 150 members have renewed their membership at the solicitation of the campaign workers, and quite a number of new members have been added also.

Evidences are continually cropping out that this country is doing a larger trade with the warring Nations than the public is aware of. The Observer yesterday gave a summary of some of the foreign orders, but some business is being done through agents in a direct way. It is said that the big grain shipment recently made from Chicago, presumably for Norway and Holland, was really intended for Germany. Germany agents have been on the grain markets in New York, Chicago and other points for a month and there is no telling the amount of their purchases. The reason for secrecy in these transacitions is manifest, but the fact is quite well established that publicly and surreptitiously this country is doing more business with Europe than might be expected under existing circumstances—Charlotte Observer.

Prosaic Poetry.

"Ellen, I love but thee alone!" Thus sighed the tender youth. "Oh, dear one, then, my precious own! With trembling lips and earnest tone, I swear I speak the truth!" He paused. A blush o'erspread her cheek. She let him draw her near. Scarce for emotion could she speak. Yet she did ask, in accents meek, "How much have you a year?"

DOUBLE EITHER SIDE USES DUM-DUM BULLETS

Scouts Charges Made by Warring European Nations.

(Correspondence of Associated Press.)

London, September 24.—F. C. Selous, the English big-game hunter, is inclined to scout the charges made by the warring European Powers that each is using the dum-dum bullet. Ragged wounds that have been inflicted he believes were done by the steel jacketted bullets turning sidewise. To support this theory he cites some of his own experiences in shooting big game and relates other instances as told to him by Colonel Roosevelt.

"I think in all probability both the Allies and their antagonists" said Mr. Selous "have been innocent of the charges made against them in this respect, and that the serious ragged wounds supposed to have likely been due to the fact, which I believe is not generally known, that the new pointed bullet—itself a German invention—now for the first time being employed in warfare in Western Europe, inflicts at short ranges more grievous wounds than any form of soft-nosed expanding bullets.

"In 1910, on his journey through British East Africa and the Sudan, Mr. Roosevelt used for all game, except the very heaviest, an American Springfield rifle of .280 bore, taking the American military cartridge, which is loaded, like our own military cartridges, with the solid, nickelcovered, point bullet known in Germany as the "spitzkugel." These solid, pointed, military bullets, Mr. Roosevelt told me, although they never brok eup on striking the animal, inflicted more serious wounds than any kind of expanding bullet he had ever previously used for big game shooting.

"Since that time I have myself shot in Africa with a Ross rifle (the Canadian army rifle) and rifle of .275 bore, both taking cartridges loaded with solid, nickel-coated, sharp-pointed bullets, and my experience with these projectiles entirely bears out what Mr. Roosevelt told me; that at close range, and at any rate up to a distance of 300 yards, they cause more grievous wounds than any form of expanding bullet. It would certainly seem that for some distance after leaving the muzzle of a rifle as long as their enormous initial velocity is but slightly impaired, these pointed bullets turn sideways on striking an animal, for although the hole of entry is always small, round, and clean-cut, the skin is often torn open where they pass out on the other side; and on several occasions I have found one of these long, solid, pointed bullets absolutely unimpaired in shape, lying broadside under the skin of an animal, through whose body it had torn a large lacerated wound.

"At longer ranges than those at which game is usually shot, and when the initial velocity of these pointed bullets has slowed down to a considerable extent, no doubt they only drill small, neat, round holes through anything they hit, or a good deal more would have been heard about the use of "dum-dum" bullets during the late Balkan Wars than was actually the case. But accusations that such bullets were used in those wars were frequently made, and they are now being heard again in Western Europe; and I aconnt help thinking, from my own experiences in big game shooting, that such accusations will always be made on one side and the other in all future wares whenever the shooting is fairly close quarters as long as pointed bullets are used."

Myrtle Stedman, who is still receiving congratulations for her excellent work in "The Valley of the Moon," will be seen in the garb of a nun in the feature photoplay which is now being produced by Phillips Smalley and Lois Weber at Hollywood.

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Elaborate plans are being made for the entertainment of the delegates and guests who attend the annual convention of the American Bankers' Association, which will be held in Richmond, October 12th-17th.

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The convention will doubtless be one of the most important of the 39 annual meetings of this influential body of financial men and over 3,000 delegates are expected to attend.

Among the many important features of the entertainment programme are a trip down the historic James river and a visit to Jamestown, the site of the landing of the first English settlers in America; a concert by metropolitan artists; the "Governor's Ball"; a golf tournament; an exhibit by manufacturers; co-operative entertainments in the shape of receptions, banquets, and other functions, among these some especially for ladies in attendance at the convention who accompany delegates and guests.

HOW IT STRIKES A VISITOR

As He Views the City and the Franchise Fight

October 1, 1914.

Mr. A. W. Pate,
President Carolina Beach Company,
Wilmington, N. C.

Dear Mr. Pate:

When I stopped in Wilmington today I was greatly interested in the fight being waged upon the development of Carolina Beach by the Tide Water Power Company. You know I have visited the Beach with you and think your plans are of the best. It seems as though the "dog in the manager" tactics are worrying your opponents more than they are you, and from the slight examination I have been able to make of the sentiment of Wilmington, the people will answer for the best interests of the city.

Wilmington is naturally equipped for one of the great resorts along the Atlantic coast. I am not so familiar with the other beaches as with Carolina Beach, but if they are as much favored with natural advantages as is Carolina Beach, the community has so much more in the way way of easily developed natural resources. Develop your beach along the lines you have indicated, and there will not be a worker in all Wilmington who will not feel the immediate benefit. Every railroad man, every hotel keeper and employee, every restaurant worker, every dealer in provision, every lumber dealer, every hardware man, every banker, and every laborer in the city will feel the direct effects of the great building boom and influx of population sure to follow when Carolina Beach is connected with the city by rapid transportation.

Furthermore, the thousands of acres of land along the road to the Beach will be put into easy communication with the market, and unless the experience of Wilmington is to be different from that of every city in the United States, the opening of this big tract is going to mean homes, truck patches, and small farms that will set wide the door of opportunity for the man of moderate means, the man that is not much considered when in the way of a big corporation's selfish interest. Hundreds of homes where ideal conditions prevail will be made available for the people of Wilmington, and ten years from now the residents of the city will look upon the men who build this line as public benefactors.

Against this certainty, we have the picture of a big corporation that will not build a needed line itself, that is trying to maintain a strangle hold on the people of Wilmington, in effect saying to them that their families shall not have the advantages of quick and cheap and safe transportation to ideal playgrounds and health giving homes, shall not have the opportunity of investment in self-sustaining homes and burden lifting farms, solely that this corporation may hold a monopoly of the transportation of the city, and thus doing prevent the development of an Atlantic City of the South.

In other communities I have visited street railway companies are more far sighted. They want to see the suburban territory develop, and the city expand. Instead of throttling enterprise, they endeavor to promote it. Such companies have caught the twentieth century spirit of service to the communities that fill their coffeers. They are an aid instead of an hindrance to the growth of the municipality. Let the people of Wilmington see what the development of these beaches means to them, get a vision of their possibilities for pleasure, health and profit, and there will be no question of their answer at the polls.

Congratulations to you and your associates for the gallant fight you are making against such great forces as are trying to defeat the growth of your city. Not many capitalists in these war times, especially in the South, having either the inclination or ability to go ahead with big financial ventures, and the people of Wilmington ought to and doubtless will support an enterprise that promises employment for hundreds and a steadily increasing investment and population. Their answer at the polls will be taken all over the nation as a statement of whether they welcome the investment of money and the creation of business, or whether they will follow the dictates of local "big business" and serve notice to the world that Wilmington is bound, hand and foot, and owned, body and soul, by a corporation that will neither expand itself nor permit others to grow.

Yours sincerely,

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

SPOTS MORE UNSETTLED

Announcement Made That No Further Ballot Will be Held on Exchange Until October 8th.

New York, Oct. 1.—Official announcement was made on the New York Cotton Exchange today that no further ballot would be held until October 8. While no explanation accompanied the statement, the idea prevailed that Liverpool wishes to be sure that margins will be deposited before proceeding with the ballot, as under the terms announced by the committee on September 23, following the reduction to 5.25d in Liverpool and 9 cents in New York, margins due Liverpool need not be deposited until October 8th.

Rumors were current today that Liverpool had objected to American firms offering cotton there below the price at which the straddle interest was being liquidated. No announcement was made regarding the proposed syndicate plan to finance the long interest, which if successful, would pave the way to an early re-opening, but a report on this matter is expected at any time. Southern advices indicated a more unsettled condition on spots than yesterday.

PORT MOVEMENT.

New Orleans—Middling, 8 11-16; receipts, 1,113; exports, 900; sales, 2,579; stock, 54,260.

Galveston—Middling, 8; receipts, 11,416; exports, 1,511; sales, 1,500; stock, 106,008.

Mobile—Middling, 7½; receipts, 272; exports, 7,078; sales, 739; stock, 10,388.

Savannah—Middling, 7½; receipts, 4,160; exports, 1,000; stock, 43,362.

Charleston—Middling, 7½; receipts, 1,817; stock, 16,008.

Wilmington—Receipts, 1,092; stock, 13,153.

Norfolk—Middling, 7¾; receipts, 520; sales, 263; stock, 15,128.

Baltimore—Stock, 3,743.

Boston—Stock, 3,000.

Philadelphia—Stock, 3,284.

New York—Exports, 2,170; stock, 74,895.

Minor Ports—Stock, 8,659.

Total today—Receipts, 20,390; exports, 12,659; stock, 351,388.

Total for week—Receipts, 132,632; exports, 65,865.

Total for season—Receipts, 420,833; exports, 139,398.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Middling, 7¾; receipts, 13,866; shipments, 13,216; sales, 430; stock, 59,101.

Memphis—Middling, 8; receipts, 3,859; shipments, 1,508; sales, 525; stock, 36,985.

Augusta—Middling, 7¾; receipts, 1,995; shipments, 1,060; sales, 514; stock, 41,141.

St. Louis—Middling, 8¼; receipts, 181; shipments, 132; stock, 12,470.

Cincinnati—Receipts, 151; shipments, 224; stock, 4,943.

Little Rock—Middling, 7¼; receipts, 499; shipments, 3; stock, 7,611.

Total today—Receipts, 20,551; shipments, 15,193; stock, 143,251.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

New Orleans, Oct. 1.—Spot cotton, quiet. Sales on the spot, 22 bales, to arrive, 2,557. Strict good ordinary, 7 1-16, nominal; low middling, 7 9-16, nominal; strict low middling, 7 13-16; middling, 8 11-16; strict middling, 8 5-16; good middling, 8 11-16; strict good middling, 9 11-16, nominal. Receipts, 1,113; stock, 54,260.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, Oct. 1.—Raw sugar, firm. Molasses sugar, 4.37; centrifugal, 5.02; refined, steady.

Butter—Unsettled.

Cheese—Steady.

Cotton Seed Oil—Advanced 2 to 6 points early on covering of October shorts and local bull support, but the list eased off later on demand and with the setback in hog products. October closed three points higher and other months generally one point net lower. Sales, 7,900 barrels.

The market closed steady. Spot, 5.60 to 5.65; Oct., 5.61 to 5.62; Nov., 5.74 to 5.76; Dec., 5.84 to 5.86; Jan., 5.95 to 5.96; Feb., 6.04 to 6.07; Mar., 6.15 to 6.17; Apr., 6.20 to 6.26; May, 6.29 to 6.32.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Oct. 1.—Hogs—Weak. Bulk, 7.80 to 8.45; light, 8.30 to 8.75; mixed, 7.85 to 8.30; heavy, 7.50 to 8.65; rough, 7.50 to 7.65; pigs, 4.75 to 8.50.

Cattle—Slow. Beeves, 6.50 to 11.00; steers, 6.15 to 9.00; stockers and feeders, 5.25 to 8.25; cows and heifers, 3.40 to 9.00; calves, 7.50 to 11.25.

Sheep—Higher. Sheep, 4.70 to 5.75; yearlings, 5.50 to 6.25; lambs, 6.00 to 7.75.

SAVANNAH NAVAL STORES.

Savannah, Ga., Oct. 1.—Turpentine, nominal, 45½; no sales. Receipts 194; shipments 6; stock 28,003.

Rosin—Nominal; no sales; receipts 582; shipments 4,251; stock 110,185. Quote: A B, 3.50; C D, 3.52½; E F G H I, 3.55; K, 4.15; M, 4.50; N, 6.00; W G, 6.25; WW, 6.35.

LIVERPOOL COTTON.

Liverpool, Oct. 1. — Cotton spot in moderate demand. Sales, 5,000 bales, including 4,100 American, on the basis of 5.30d. for middling. Impots, 800 bales, all American.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, Oct. 1.—Cotton goods markets were quiet and irregular today. Cotton yarns were lower. Raw silks for late delivery was steady. Dry goods were dull.

FINANCIAL QUOTATIONS.

New York, Oct. 1.—Mercantile paper, 7; Sterling exchange, steady; for cables, 497.50 to 497. Exchanges, $267,548,293; balances, $19,170,633. Bar silver, 52⅞.

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WHEAT GOES STILL LOWER

Bearish Crop Estimates and Big Receipts More Than Offset Influence of Bullish Factors.

Chicago, Oct. 1.—Bearish wheat crop estimates and big receipts more than offset today's influence of encouraging cables and war demand for flour.

There was a weak close, 1⅝ to 1¾c. under last night. Leading staples, too, all showed a net decline. Corn, 1 to 1¼ to 1¼; oats, ⅞ to ⅞ to 1c., and provisions, 7½ to 7¾.

Grain and provisions closed:

Wheat—Dec., 1.06½; May, 1.13¼.

Corn—Dec., 66⅞; May, 69⅛.

Oats—Dec., 47¼; May, 50⅛.

Pork—Oct., 16.70; Jan., 19.20.

Lard—Oct., 9.55; Jan., 9.95.

Ribs—Oct., 10.85; Jan., 10.20.

Cash grain:

Wheat—No. 2, red, 1.03½ to 1.05¾; No. 2, hard, 1.03½ to 1.05¾.

Corn—No. 2, yellow, 72¾ to 73¾.

Oats—Standard, 46¼ to 47.

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WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Oct. 1.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Steady, at 45.

ROSIN—Steady. Large, $3.30; small, $3.10.

TAR—Firm, $2.25 per barrel; per gallon, 10c.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Firm, $3.25 per barrel for soft; $3.25 per barrel for virgin; $2.25 per barrel for hard.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, steady, 37 1-4; rosin, firm, 3.30 tar, firm, 2.20-10; crude firm, 3.00, 3.80, 2.00.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine ... ...(—)

Rosin ... ...(—)

Tar 6

Crude Turpentine ... ...(—)

Receipts same day last year—Spirits turpentine, 21 casks; rosin, 127 barrels; tar, 26 barrels; crude turpentine, (—) barrels.

COTTON MARKET.

Market — Spot, middling, 7½; last year, 13 1-4.

Receipts, 1,111 bales; same day last year, 4,569 bales.

Total receipts since September 1st, 9,342 bales.

Total receipts to same day last year, 58,458 bales.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at This Port Yesterday.

Wilmington, Oct. 1.

Atlantic Coast Line — Cotton, 1,022 bales; tar, 6 barrels.

Seaboard Air Line—84 bales cotton.

River—5 bales cotton.

Total—1,111 bales cotton; 6 barrels tar.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co., Inc.)

Petersburg, Va., Sept. 28.—Spanish—Market, quiet. Spanish, 80c. per bushel for Farmers' stock.

Virginias—Market quiet. Jumbo, 4c. per lb. Fancy Hand Picked, 3¼c. per lb. Extra Prime, 3½c. per lb. Prime, 3¼c. per lb. Machine Picked, 3¼c. to 3⅜c. per lb.

MONEY MARKET VERY DULL

Foreign Exchange Suffers Another Setback, London Cables Declining to 4.97; Demand to 4.98.

New York, Oct. 1.—With the actual inauguration of the $100,000,000 gold pool, for which account a considerable sum of gold was shipped to Canada, foreign exchange suffered another setback today, cables declining 4.97 and demand to 4.98. Apart from renewals, the local money market was exteemely dull. The true state of the market was shown in the price paid by the Erie Railroad for a five months extension of its six per cent. notes, which matured today. The cost to the railroad was said to be about 8 1-8 per cent.

Contrary to expectation, very few defaults of October interest payments were reported, among the notable instances being the International Mercantile Marine Co., on its 4 1-2 per cent. bonds. Two of the largest railway systems—the Pennsylvania and the New York Central submitted August earnings today. East of Pittsburg the Pennsylvania shawed an increase of $142,0000. New York Central's income increased $296,000 but is smaller for the first eight months of the calendar year by $1,200,000.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Sept. 25th.)

CORN—$2.10 per sack.

POTATOES — Irish potatoes, $1.00 per bu. Sweet potatoes, yams, 90c.@$1 per bu.

PEAS—Out of season.

BEEF—Native dressed, 7 to 8c.; very dull.

PORK—Small, 10@12 cents; large, no sale.

SHEEP—No sale. Lambs, $1.50 to $2.50 per head.

WOOL—Burry, 14 to 15c.; black wool, 16 to 17c.; first-class white wool, 21c. free, 20@21c. per lb.

HIDES—Green salt, 12c.; dry flints, 17@19c. lb.; dull.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, 22c. dull; sides and shoulders, 16c per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm, 28@29c. per lb.

POULTRY — Chickens, grown, 45@50c.; spring, 13½@30c. per head. Very dull.

EGGS—Dull, 25c@26c. per doz.

FOODSTUFFS AND FEED.

(Quotations of Thursday by Wilmington Chamber of Commerce.)

Patent Flour—$5.65 to $6.15 per barrel.

Corn — Domestic, $1.05; Imported, $1.00 to $1.05.

Meal—96 lbs., $2.00 to $2.10.

Oats—Mixed, 60c.; white, 65c. per bushel.

Middlings—$32.00 to $33.00.

Hay—No. 1, Timothy, $24.00; No. 1, mixed, $23.00.

D. S. Sides—14½ to 15½; Plates, 13c. to 13½c.

Lard—8 1-4 to 8 1-8.

Coffee—9c. to 15c.

Rice—4½ to 6¼c. Fancy head rice, 5 to 6c. f. o. b. mill.

Sugar—Fluctuating. (Present cost in New York, 6½ to 6⅝.

Molasses—As it stands, 35c. to 40c. per gallon.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, N. C., Sept. 14.—North Carolina Peanuts: Market weaker; receipts, light; fancy hand-picked, 80c.; No. 1, machine picked, 75c.

Virginias — Weaker. Fancy hand-picked, 85c.; No. 1, machine picked, 75c. per bushel.

Spanish—Weaker, 75c. per bushel.

Looking For Publicity.

"George," she said, "before we go any further I must insist that the word obey be dropped from the marriage service."

"Oh, pshaw!" he replied. "Why bother over that. It's a mere formality. Nobody expects it to be binding any more."

"That's all very well. But if we have it dropped the papers will give us a much more extended notice than they would otherwise."—Chicago Record-Herald.

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

October 2, 1914.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M., yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 61 degrees; at 8 P. M., 68 degrees; maximum, 76 degrees; minimum, 55 degrees; mean, 66 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall for the month, to date, 5.39 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., yesterday, 2.4 feet.

THE WEATHER.

For North Carolina—Generally fair Friday and Saturday.

The Port Calendar, Oct. 2, 1914.

Sun rises ... ...6:07 A. M.

Sun sets ... ...6:55 P. M.

Day's length ... ...11 hrs. 48 min.

The Tides.

	High Water. A.M.	P.M.	Low Water. A.M.	P.M.
Wilmington	5:25	8:48	3:19	3:42
Southport	6:41	7:00	12:33	12:53
Masonboro Inl	6:30	6:49	12:13	12:33

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

October 1, 1914.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature Highest today.	Temperature Lowest Last night.	Precipitation at 8 P. M.
Abilene	clear	80	48	.0
Asheville	clear	72	46	.0
Atlanta	rain	74	60	.01
Augusta	pt cldy	80	64	.0
Birmingh.	cldy	70	62	.38
Boston	clear	64	50	.0
Charleston	cldy	76	68	.0
Charlotte	pt cldy	76	56	.0
Chicago	clear	66	56	.0
Galveston	cldy	72	66	.0
Jacksonv.	rain	78	70	.08
Memphis	cldy	80	64	.0
Mobile	cldy	76	68	.02
Montgom'y	cldy	70	64	.01
New Orl	clear	78	64	.01
New York	clear	64	52	.0
Oklahoma	clear	80	54	.0
Palestine	clear	72	60	.0
Pittsburg	clear	70	44	.0
Raleigh	clear	74	56	.0
Savannah	cldy	74	66	.22
Shreveport	cldy	74	60	.20
St. Louis	clear	78	60	.0
Washing'n	clear	70	48	.0

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New Interest Quarter.

Starts October 1st and 2nd at the American National Bank.—advertisement. 3t

Geldverlust, den diese verursachen, beläuft sich auf 25 Millionen Dollar. Insekten und Baumkrankheiten, die dem Feuer folge, bewirken einen

Atlantic Coast Line

"The Standard Railroad of the South."

Bulletin of Special Round Trip Fares.

—from—

WILMINGTON

NEW YORK $36.00

ATLANTA, GA. $18.35

On sale October 3, 4 and 5, limited returning October 10.

WANSHINGTON, D. C. $15.00

On sale October 4, 5 and 6, limited returning October 10.

YOUKON, FLA. $31.30

On sale October 6 to 18, inclusive, limited returning October 31.

RICHMOND, VA. $8.10

On sale October 10, 11 and 12, limited returning October 20.

FORT WORTH, TEX. $53.35

On sale October 10, 11 and 12, limited returning October 26.

RALEIGH, N. C. $4.75

On sale October 17 to 24, inclusive, limited returning October 26.

RICHMOND, VA. $8.10

On sale October 17, 18, 19, limited returning October 27th.

NEW ORLEANS, LA. $35.60

On sale October 17 and 18, limited returning October 31

On sale October 24, 25 and 26, limited returning November 15.

ATLANTA, GA. $13.85

On sale October 4, 5 and 6, limited returning October 17.

On sale October 12, 13 and 14, limited returning October 24.

On sale November 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, limited returning November 23.

SAVANNAH, GA. $10.80

On sale November 7, 8, 9 and 10, limited returning November 20.

For schedules, reservations and any further information, call 'phone 160, or apply to C. M. ACKER, Ticket Agent of the

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The Progressive Railway of the South.

Bulletin of Special Rates in Effect Daily

Limited returning to October 31st.

WASHINGTON.. ... ...$16.00

BALTIMORE 18.00

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NEW YORK $26.00

Summer Excursion fares are on sale to all Principal Mountain and Seashore Resorts.

RALEIGH, N. C. $5.55

On sale September 29-30, October 1-2; limited returning October 5th.

WASHINGTON, D. C. $15.75

DALLAS, TEX. $40.75

On sale Sept. 18, 19 and 20, limited returning October 2.

RICHMOND, VA. $8.10

On sale October 10, 11, 12, limited returning October 20th.

ATLANTA, GA. $18.35

On sale October 3, 4 and 5, limited returning October 10.

ATLANTA, GA. $13.85

On sale October 4, 5, 6, limited returning October 17th.

On sale October 13 and 14, limited returning October 24.

NEW ORLEANS, LA. $35.60

On sale October 17 and 18, limited returning October 31.

YOUKON, FLA. $21.30

On sale October 6 to 18, inclusive, limited returning October 31.

JACKSONVILLE, FLA. $7.50

TAMPA, FLA. $9.95

On sale September 22, limited returning September 23.

FORT WORTH, TEX. $51.35

On sale October 10, 11 and 12, limited returning October 26.

SAVANNAH, GA. $10.80

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Lv. WILMINGTON	3:00 P. M.
Ar. ATLANTA	6:20 A. M.
Lv. ATLANTA	9:55 P. M.
Ar. WILMINGTON	11:59 A. M.

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Arrivals and Departures of Trains at Wilmington. Effective Sept. 20, 1914. Time Not Guaranteed.

DEPARTURES:	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 90. ‡ 3:40 A.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad. No. 91 leaves Norfolk 2:40 P. M. and Richmond 4:10 P. M.	No. 91. a 1:15 A.M.
No. 31. * 5:25 A.M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.	No. 50. *12:45 A.M.
No. 64. ‡ 5:50 A.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 65. ‡ 6:15 P.M.
No. 48. * 8:30 A.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains with Pullman Service.	No. 49. * 6:05 P.M.
No. 52. * 8:45 A.M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford.	No. 62. * 8:05 P.M.
No. 62. * 3:25 P.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 63. *12:50 P.M.
No. 57. ‡ 6:20 P.M.	Chadbourn, Conway and intermediate stations.	No. 58. ‡ 8:15 A.M.
No. 55. * 3:45 P.M.	Chadbourn, Florence, Augusta, Atlanta and the West. Charleston, Savannah and all Florida Points. Columbia, Asheville and the West. All Steel Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington, Augusta and Atlanta, and between Florence and Columbia.	No. 54. *12:00 P.M.
No. 59. ‡ 6:30 P.M.	Fayetteville and Intermediate stations.	No. 60. ‡10:15 A.M.
No. 42. * 6:45 P.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars, between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains; also Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41. * 9:40 A.M.

* Daily ‡ Daily except Sunday. a Daily except Monday. ¶ Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

For folders, reservations, rates of fares, etc., call 'phone 160.

W. J. CRAIG, Passenger Traffic Manager, T. C. WHITE, General Passenger Agent. WILMINGTON, N. C.

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

Effective Sept. 8th.

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach.
* 6:25 A.M.	*8:05 A.M.
6:55 "	7:10 "
* 7:25 "	7:40 "
* 8:00 "	* 8:15 "
8:30 "	* 8:45 "
10:00 "	9:15 "
	x 10:25 "
11:30 "	10:45 "
1:10 P. M.	12:15 P. M.
2:00 "	1:50 "
2:30 "	2:45 "
3:00 "	3:15 "
3:30 "	3:45 "
4:00 "	4:15 "
4:30 "	4:45 "
5:00 "	5:15 "
5:30 "	5:45 "
6:10 "	6:25 "
6:40 "	6:55 "
7:10 "	7:25 "
8:30 "	7:50 "
¶ x 9:15 "	9:15 "
10:00	! x 9:45 "
11:15 "	10:45 "
12:00 Midnight.	12:00 Midnight

* Daily, except Sunday.
x Sundays only.
¶ To Wrightsville only.
! Leave Wrightsville.

FREIGHT SCHEDULE.

(Daily except Sunday.)

Leave 9th and Orange Sts.	Leave Beach
9:30 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
2:30 P. M.	5:15 P. M.

Freight Office open from 8:00 A. M. to 9:30 A. M. and 2:00 P. M. to 3:30 P. M.

SUNDAYS

Leave 9th and Orange Sts.	Leave Beach.
11:00 A. M.	12:45 P. M.

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Lv. Petersburg	11:00 a.m.	10:00 p.m.
Lv. Durham	7:50 a.m.	5:30 p.m.
Lv. Lynchburg	2:45 p.m.	2:30 a.m.
Ar. Cincinnati	7:20 a.m.	6:25 p.m.
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a.m.	7:00 p.m.
Ar. Chicago	5:00 p.m.	8:00 a.m.
Ar. St. Louis	6:32 p.m.	8:30 a.m.

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Lv. Florence	7.55 P. M.
Ar. Sumter	9.20 P. M.
Ar. Augusta	1.40 A. M.
AR. ATLANTA	6.00 A. M.

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EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER 9, 1914.

Trains Leave Wilmington Daily as Follows:

No. 13—8:00 P. M.—For Local Stations. Parlor car for Lumberton, Maxton, Laurinburg, Charlotte and intermediate points, connecting at Hamlet for Richmond, Washington, New York, Atlanta, Jacksonville and all points North and South, at Hamlet. Through Pullman sleeping car service between Wilmington and Atlanta.

No. 19—5:00 A. M.—Local train for Charlotte. Sleeper open at 10:00 P. M.

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Steamship Navahoe, Monday, Oct. 5th

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Steamship Navahoe, Saturday, Sept. 26
Steamship Cherokee, Saturday, Oct. 3

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GOUVERNEUR CALLS ON THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

As To Wilmington Street Car Franchise.

Eleven Opinions by Supreme Court—Democratic Affairs in Good Shape —Charter Issued and Another Changed—Raleigh News.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 1.—M. F. H. Gueverneur, of Wilmington, the newly appointed director on the part of North Carolina for the Federal Reserve regional bank at Richmond, spent the day in Raleigh on business with Attorney General Bickett and other State officers relative to matters pertaining to the franchise. The Tidewater Power Company has for the use of Wilmington streets for electric car line purposes.

He says he has had no official communication yet from Washington or Richmond relative to the taking up of the duties of his directorship in the Federal reserve system and don't know just when the meeting for organization will be called. He expects the organization to be gotten under way at once, however.

Mr. Gouverneur's business with the attorney general was to procure a ruling as to the power of the city commissioners of Wilmington to change in any way the franchise of the Tidewater Co., which was voted by the people of the city, without first having the people vote as to the change the commission proposes to make in the terms of the franchise. The Tidewater Co., contends that the franchise having been granted by vote of the people, it can be changed only through vote of the people and not by any action of the city commission.

This weekly delivery day brought from the Supreme Court opinions in eleven appeals as follows: P. & N. R. Steamboat Co., vs Eastern Carolina Transportation Co., Pasquotank, new trial; Wist vs The Texas Co., Dare, reversed; Brown vs Lumber Co., Perquimans, affirmed; State vs Norfolk Southern Railroad Co., Wilson, affirmedChief Justice Clark and Justice Hoke dissenting. State vs Beacom Supply Co., ance. new trial; Kenney vs Seaboard Air Line Railway, Bertie, no error, Justice Walker concurs and Justice Brown dissenting, both filing opinions; Bank vs Segroves, Chatham, new trial; Crissman vs Hillard, Johnston, new trial; Norwood vs Trotten, Chatham, no error; Hartesell vs City Asheville, Buncombe, petition rehear sustained; Warren vs Strickland, Harnet, affirmed.

Chairman Warren of the State Democratic Executive Committee, is receiving replies from the Democratic chairmen in all the counties of the State to inquires he sent out as to the names of Republican candidates being put out for county and district offices and expressions as to political conditions in their respective counties. These replies are all of the most propitious sort and indicate that the Republicans or Bull Moosers, which ever dominates the other in the various counties, are doing apparently nothing in the way of lining up for a campaign and in most instances even in the closest counties, made no move for putting candidates in the field.

The county chairman are unanimous in desiring a short sharp campaign of not more than 30 days and report that the Democratic county candidates are organizing now for launching within a few days their canvtsses that will extend into all sections of every county. A letter to State Democratic headquarters this morning from the Durham county chairman was to the effect that the indications now are that there will not be any opposition candidates to the Democrats put in the field by either Republicans or Bull Moosers.

A charter was issued today for The Norwood Drug Co., of Chapel Hill, capital $10,000 authorized and $2,000 subscribed by E. G. Norwood, E. P. Norwood and E. S. Merritt, for general drug business.

There is an amendment for the charter of The Salisbury Dry Goods Co., changing the name to The Thomasville Cash Store (Inc.) and changing the location from Salisbury to Thomasville. J. J. Crow is president.

Commissioner of Labor and Printing M. L. Shipman says that the manufacturers and other classes of industries required to make annual reports to his department have responded this season with greater promptness than ever before and that his forthcoming report for 1914 will show the benefit of this to a very great degree in invreased comprehensiveness and accuracy. He left this afternoon for a trip into several sections of the State to gather "odds and ends."

TAR HEELS IN CONGRESS ANXIOUS TO GET HOME.

Elated Over Prospect of Adjournment Two Weeks Hence.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Washington, D. C., Oct. 1.—Members of Congress from North Carolina and the two senators are elated over the prospect of Congress adjourning within the next two weeks. No body of men ever worked harder or gave better service to the Democratic party than has the North Carolina delegation in the House and Senators Overman and Simmons.

With possibly two exceptions, the State delegation has remained here every day since Congress met last December, except when a recess was taken for the Christmas holidays. They are tired out and will welcome the opportunity to get back to "God's country."

Hot Springs, Wendell and Sylva are three North Carolina fourth class postoffices which have been advanced to the presidential list.

Charters have been issued for the First National Bank of Mount Olive and the National Bank of Rocky Mount. P. R. A.

PECULIAR ACCIDENT ON SOUTHERN DOUBLE TRACK.

Projection from Freight Train Sideswipes Passenger Car.

Greensboro, N. C., Oct. 1.—The rear coach of Southern Railway passenger train No. 46 between Charlotte and Greensboro was sideswiped this afternoon by something projecting from a southbound freight train when the two trains passed just north of Spencer. All the windows on one side of the coach were shattered and severa passengers injured by flying glass. Two of the most seriously hurt were placed in a hospital at Salisbury.

TRINITY HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

Organized for Coming Year—Dr. Mast, of Baltimore, a Guest.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Trinity College, Durham, N. C., Sept 30.—The first regular meeting of the Trinity College Historical Society was held last night in its room on the first floor of East Duke Building, and a large number of students and several members of the faculty were present.

Dr. William K. Boyd, professor of history and now for several years president of the society, was re-elected to that office. Other officers elected were: vice president, Samuel G. Hawfield, of Matthews, N. C.; secretary-treasurer, John W. Carr, of Charlotte; curator of the museum, Earl R. Sikes, of Beaufort. After a short business session Dr. Boyd showed and discussed recent additions to the historical museum. The society is entering upon its 22nd years. Its purpose is to create and to encourage interest in North Carolina and Southern history, by the preparation of papers, the making of historical investigations, and by the collection and preservation of historical documents and other material relating to the history of this region.

Interest in the work of this organization grows from year to year, and the work of the society for this year promises to be even more creditable than at any time in the past. Its president, Dr. Boyd, is particularly active and to him goes much of the credit for the excellent work of the society in recent years.

Dr. S. O. Mast, professor of Biology in Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, has been spending a few days on the campus the guest of Dr. James J. Wolfe, professor of biology in Trinity College. Dr. Mast is on his way from Beaufort where he has been spending the summer taking a special investigation for the United States Government in the government laboratory at that place. Prof. Mast is well known for his keen investigative ability. He is especially interested in the subject of camparative psychology of lower animals. He left yesterday for Baltimore.

TRINITY FRESHMEN ELECT.

Officers for Ensuing Year—Largest Class on Record.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Durham, N. C., Sept. 30.—The members of the freshman class of Trinity College elected officers yesterday as follows: President, J. Eaton Bennet; vice president, John Small; secretary, Miss Vada Eddins. Mr. J. M. Spivey presided. He was also nominated for the presidency and received a popularity in the first ballot, but not having a majority of the vote for the three candidates, a second ballot was taken, resulting in the election of Mr. Bennet.

Mr. J. Eaton, the president of the class, is from Cleveland, Tenn. Mr. John Small is from Washington, N. C., and is the son of Congressman John H. Small. Miss Eddins is a graduate of the Durham High School.

The freshman class this year is by far the largest in the history of the college, being about 275. This is very close to the number of freshmen at Carolina, which fast is a source of satisfaction to Trinity men.

The Durham High School is more largely represented in the freshman class of Trinity College this year than ever before, being about 30, or nearly as many as the total graduation class of the school of the previous year. A majority of the students have entered some college this year, the class being also represented at the University, Randolph-Macon Woman's College, the Greensboro College for Women, St. Mary's, the Southern Conservatory of Music, and others.

SANFORD WANTS TO KNOW REMEDY FOR CARNIVALS.

Receives Information Upon Application to Kinston.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kinston, N. C., Oct. 1.—Calling upon the Kinston officials for an outline of their plan for the elimination of carnivals, Mayor H. E. Spence, of Sanford, declares in a letter that his town is the "most pestered in the State, to be sure, along this line." Mayor Spence will be informed that every attempt of a carnival to show here this year has been successfully frustrated by an ordinance which prohibits such an exhibition within 1,000 feet of any church, school house or dwelling in Kinston.

Carnival showmen who have tried to get around the aldermanic ruling by attempting to show outside of the corporate limits were foiled by the refusal of the water and light department to sell them current for electric illumination or power. The Kinston City Council is confident the problem has been satisfactorily solved here, and the Sanford administration will be advised to enact a similar ordinance.

WILSON FARMERS STORING COTTON

And Getting Advance of Eight Cents a Pound Without Selling.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wilson, N. C., Sept. 30.—Quite a number of farmers are taking advantage of the proposition made by Tomlinson & Company and are storing their cotton, receiving credit on account for 8 cents a pound. Temporary storage arrangements have been made pending the completion of the new storage warehouse.

J. D. Williams, one of the older merchants of Wilson, slipped up on his many friends when he married Mrs. Frank Robbins, of Maxton, last week. The marriage took place at Hamlet and Mr. and Mrs. Williams have returned here for their future home.

With 400,000 pounds of leaf tobacco on the market Tuesday, the market continued stronger, the average being over 13 cents.

Many Wilson people went to Rocky Mount Tuesday to attend the circus.

MEMBERSHIP CONTEST.

Being Staged by Fayetteville Bible Classes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Fayetteville, N. C., Oct. 1.—The Bible classes of the Sunday schools of the First Baptist, Hay Street Methodist and First Presbyterian churches are staging membership contests based on the attendance at the classes last Sunday. The First Baptist Sunday school, at the start, is well in the lead. The attendance for the past Sunday was to be reckoned as a starting point in the race, but the Baptists, thinking that the contest was to begin with the preceeding Sabbath, increased their attendance from 58 to 85 in one week. It has been agreed to allow the 58 to stand as the Baptist starting figure. The Hay Street Sunday Svchool recorded 45 on the first day, and the Presbyterian 35. A strong friendly rivalry is being shown by the contestants and their friends are watching the race with interest.

New Interest Quarter.

Starts October 1st and 2nd at the American National Bank.—advertisement. 31

TILLMAN'S GRANDDAUGHTERS MUST COME INTO COURT

Mother Unable to Compel Them to Obey Court's Mandate.

Columbia, S. C., Oct. 1.—Chief Justice Gary of the State Supreme court today ordered Mrs. Lucy Dugas Tillman, mother of Lucy Frances Tillman and Douschka P. Tillman, granddaughters of United States Senator B. R. Tillman, to produce the two girls before the Supreme court here November 25, and show why they should not be taken from her charge and given over to "those who may be more successful in training them and teaching them the duty of obedience to lawful authority."

It is stated in the court's order that the children have disobeyed the mandate to spend July and August with their grandparents and that their mother has confessed inability to compel obedience.

It is said that in compliance with the court's order, the girls were sent to Trenton, S. C., to visit Senator Tillman, but they refused to leave the train and returned home. Later, according to report, they were sent under charge of an attendant, but slipped away from the Tillman residence and again went home.

Legal proceedings to determine the proper custodians of the two girls have been before the courts for some time.

Washington, Oct. 1.—The Senate today confirmed the nominations of F. J. Stimson, ambassador to Argentina; Henry P. Fletcher, ambassador to Chile, and Edward Ewing Pratt, chief of bureau of foreign domestic commerce.

Business Locals

Advertisements inserted under this head, One Cent per word for each insertion, but no advertisement taken for less than 25c. Additional words more than 25, One Cent per word. Unless the advertiser has a regular account, all advertisements under this head are STRICTLY CASH IN ADVANCE, the amount being too small to warrant a charge. The Star will send without charge a Western Union Messenger to any address in the city, for advertisements in this department, upon request by 'phone to No, 51. Messengers will also call for Telegrams for the Western Union Telegraph Company, or for notes or small packages to be delivered anywhere in the city. No charge for collecting the telegrams, or advertisements for the Star, but a small charge for strictly Messenger service. Telephone subscribers may at any time telephone their telegrams and bills will be rendered to suit the sender, daily, weekly or monthly. For this service, call "Western Union," but for advertisements always call the Star office. No. 51. Locals cannot be taken over the telephone — but upon request messenger will be dispatched to any part of the city for them.

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NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that the City Council of the City of Wilmington, North Carolina, by resolution duly adopted on the 5th day of August, A. D. 1914, and amended August 22nd, called and ordered to be held in the City of Wilmington, N. C., on Wednesday, the 7th day of October, A. D. 1914, a Special Election for the purpose of authorizing or approving the ordinance passed by the said City Council on the 29th day of July, A. D. 1914, granting to the Wilmington-Carolina Beach Railway Company a franchise, permission and authority to construct, maintain and operate a Street Railway with single or double tracks, turn-outs, curves, switches, spur tracks, receipt and delivery tracks, etc., for the transportation and carriage of passengers and freight, upon, along, over, under and across the streets named in said Ordinance, and to construct, erect and maintain poles and wires, underground conduits and other structures necessary for the conduct of electric current and power for the use of said cars upon such tracks.

The streets or portions of the streets over which the said franchise is asked are fully set forth and described in the Ordinance passed by the said Council which will be published as required by law in full once in each of the daily newspapers published in the City of Wilmington not more than twenty days and not less than five days before the day of said election, by the City Clerk and Treasurer of the said City.

Said election will be held in the City of Wilmington on Wednesday, the seventh day of October, A. D. 1914, and the following named polling places, Registrars and Judges of Election have been named and designated for the holding and conducting said election, to-wit:

First Ward, First Precinct: Polling Place—Kerr's store; Registrar, Willie Kerr; Judges, L. F. Harper and J. B. Elkin.

First Ward, Second Precinct: Polling Place — Cor. Fourth and Campbell streets; Registrar, W. H. Howe; Judges, J. W. Blomme and J. G. Ittner.

Second Ward; Polling Place—Court House; Registrar, W. W. Hodges; Judges, C. W. Lassiter and Frank Shepard.

Third Ward; Polling Place—Cor. 8th and Princess streets; Registrar, A. G. Hankins; Judges, Walter Penny and S. E. Wood.

Fourth Ward: Polling Place—No. 110 Dock street; Registrar, W. A. Spooner; Judges, F. W. Pfeiffer and Jos. A. Price.

Fifth Ward, First Precinct: Polling Place — Cor. 5th and Castle streets; Registrar, R. Henry Orrell; Judges, E. Childs and Wallace Sellers.

Fifth Ward, Second Precinct: Polling Place—6th and Castle streets; Registrar, J. H. Taylor, Jr.; Judges, W. H. Biddle and T. G. Landen.

The polls will be opened on the day of election at 8 o'clock A. M., and remain open until sun set of said day.

Each Registrar will, between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M. and 5 o'clock P. M., each day (Sunday excepted) for seven days preceding the day for closing the registration books, keep open the registration books for the registration of any new electors residing in the precinct entitled to register, or whose names do not appear on the revised list and said books will be open until 9 o'clock P. M., on each Saturday during the registration period and shall close for registration on the second Saturday before said election. No registration will be allowed on election day, except to such persons as shall give satisfatcory evidence to the registrar and judges of election that he has become of the age of twenty-one years, or otherwise has become qualified to register and vote since the registration books closed for registration.

On the second Saturday before the election the registration books will be kept open at the polling places in the voting precincts; also for the inspection of the electors of the precinct and to enable challenges to be made on the right of any person to vote in said election whose name appears thereon, and if any person is objected to notice will be given him and a hearing granted as provided by law.

The Council has appointed the Registrars and Judges of said election and caused them to be notified of their appointment and required them to take the oath required by law, and named polling places and arrnaged them, and will cause to be furnished the necessary books and arrange for the ballots, and will fill all vacancies occurring in Registrars and Judges as required of them, and will receive the returns from said election, as required by law, and will endeavor to have the election conducted in strict conformity with the law, and will endeavor to see to it that the election officers perform their duties in all matters.

If a majority of the electors voting in said election shall vote in favor of said ordinance, the said ordinance passed by the Council shall thereupon become a valid and binding ordinance of the city of Wilmington.

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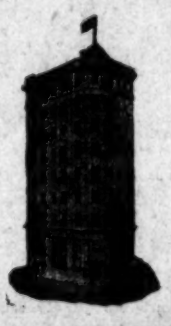

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